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INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS OF O. E. S., BETHEL

The installation of Purity Chapter, No. 102, O. E. S., occurred Wednesday evening, Jan. 4.

Previous to the installation a banquet was served to the members and invited friends, after which a short program ered in Odd Fellows' Hall and listened tinguished but not until considerable was enjoyed, consisting of piano solo, to Mr. Lovejoy, the County Agent, who water had been poured into the store. Grace Van Den Kerekhoven; reading, gave an account of the scope and im- The smoke was so thick it was hard to Miss Cottrell; selection by the Glee portance the Bureau has attained as a get at the fire. The family of Allen Club of Gould's Academy, who respond. representative Farmers Body, and also Walker resided in the rent connected ed to an encore; solo, Mrs. Wheaton.

The officers were very pleasingly installed by Grand Matron Mrs, Emma B. Howe of Rumford assisted by Past Matron Mrs. Susan Edwards as Grand Marshal. The officers installed are as

W. M.-Elizabeth Garey W. P .- Ernest Bisbee A. M.-Agnes Twaddle Secretary-Pearl A. Tibbetts Treasurer-Alice Rowe Cond .- Alice Brown Asso, Cond.—Harriet Hall Adah-Erma Young Ruth-Harriet Merrill Esther-Lona Chapman Martha-Angle Wight Electa-Sylvia Courcy Warder-Emily Forbes Sentinel—Chester Howe

After the officers were installed Mrs. Curtis in behalf of Purity Chapter presented Mrs. Emma Van Den Kerekhoven with a Past Matron's jewel. Mrs. Emma Van Den Kerckhoven then present. mittee meeting sometime in February. ed Mrs. Howe and Mrs. Edwards in be. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mason very kindhalf of the Chapter, with silver ladles. Ily offered to open their home for the

IMPORTANT TO SAVINGS DE-POSITORS

Banking Department Calls for Prosentation of Pass Books for eVrification

The State Banking Department is Pass Books of savings depositors of Savings Banks located in South Paris, were chosen. Norway and Bethel. The Statutes provide that this verification of Pass Books shall be made once in every three years, and in addition to the regular annual examinations of all State Banking Inititutions, Bank Commissioner, Fred I Lawrence, states that he has adopted the practice of verifying the Savings Deposits of all Trust Companies and already two copies have been spoken Savings Banks of a city or section at for. the same time and by the nuiform meth-State and is now being used in the ing. above towns. The Bank Commissioner has issued a call notifying all Savings Depositors to either present their Pass Books at, or send them in by mail to There will be dance at Grange Hall, service than at the present time. I at the Mrs. Pike, who has been at the Abthe South Paris Savings Bank, Norway Bethel, Friday evening, Jas. 13. Mutribute it to the untiring work and et. bott Hospital since last July, passed Savings Bank and the Bethel Savings sie by the Grange Orchestra, Bank for verification. In verifying the Pass Books a representative of the Banking Department will be stationed at each bank and will compare the spending a two weeks vacation here operation. He has installed both in the Pass Books as they come in for the spending a two weeks vacation here operation. He has installed both in the pass Books as they come in for the spending a two weeks vacation here operation. He has installed both in the pass Books as they come in for the spending a two weeks vacation here operation. He has installed both in the pass Books as they come in for the spending a two weeks vacation here operation. He has installed both in the pass Books as they come in for the spending a two weeks vacation here operation. Pass Books as they come in for the with her parents, returned to Bethel, department. He has brought about a Mrs. Harriet Twaddle, who has been

As this work is done for the beneuit | Ernest Rames lost one of his gray Postal service," of the depositors, the Banking Depart horses, Monday. ment should have the cooperation of Mr and Mrs. A. C. Littlehale of all depositors in presenting their pass Errol are visiting relatives in town.

omissions in the accounts.

LLEWELLYN WADSWORTH

In the passing of Liewellyn Wads H. H. Hanscom and family one day forest. worth of Hiram Oxford County has lost last week. tredit to the town and county of which P. tkillings. for a man of his years.

ford Democrat for 50 years, and has all ter. Mrs. Estimat Taxies, Banday.

He was a staunch Republican and had who has been W. hold offices of trust in the party. He was a member of the Congregational church, the Masons, Knighto of

Pythias, and the Grange.

MABON

*Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Tyler of Grover

S. O. Grover and Lillie Baker are visiting relatives on Grover IIII.

Leon Davis of West Bethel is hauling timber for J. A. McKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Luxton are stop- Bert Banborn's, Hunday. plug at Ernest Morrill's. E. Mills of Albert.

FARM BUREAU MEETING

The Form Bureau meeting held in Bethel, Jan. 7, was well attended, forty being present. The different sections ing towns were represented.

In the forenoon the assembly gathof work done and the program mapped with the store, but no damage was done out by the other Oxford County towns. to that part of the building. Most of man; True Eames, Secretary, and Mr. It is understood that Mr. Brooks' stock

year, as outlined by the project lead. No estimate of the damage could be ers committee, was adopted.

After a most bountiful dinner served by the women members, the following project leaders were elected for the following year:

Crops, Improved Oats, Lime-A. F. Copeland Dairy, Test Circle-Edwin Barker Silnge Corn-Stephen E. Abbott Orchard and Poultry-Harry Lyon Assistant for Boys' Club: East and South Bethel-

R. B. Hastings West Bethel-E. C. Smith Grover Hill-Harry Lyon

Bethel and Vicinity-Herman Mason The project leaders will hold a comoccasion.

WOMEN'S MEETING

The women's meeting in charge of Miss Anita Nicholson, the Home Management leader, was lively and most inlaughter which ever eminated from now engaged in the work of verifying their direction. There were fourteen

> Chairman-Mrs. Edwin Barker Sec. and Publicity Agent-Mrs. Harry Hastings Clothing-Mrs. A. F. Chapman Food -- Mrs. Wade Thurston Household Management-

Mrs. Herman Skillings A couk book is to be issued soon and

satisfactory in other sections of the some future food demonstration meet. lem in algebra.

NOTICE

Sunday.

day callers at E. R. Eames.

SKILLINGSTON

Mr. Willard Lincell came down from North Nowey and visited bis dunt, Baturday night, returning Bonday.

Mr. Poloy is belier at this writing. Hill were guests at E. C. Mills', Bun-this place, Salurday night. Mrs. Loton Hutchinson is working in the milt.

Pred Howard's, Bunday.

o much better,

HARDWARE STORE OF D. G. BROOKS BADLY DAMAGED

BY FIRE AND WATER On Wednesday at about 1 P. M., the of the town and some of the neighbor- fire alarm called the firemen out to a fire in the store of D. Grover Brooks Friday. on Main street. The fire was soon ex-Edwin Barker was re-elected chair the damage was by water and smoke. Russell, Supt. of Schools, was chosen was insured. It is thought that the fire leader of the Boys' and Girls' Clubs. | caught around the chimney. The build-The program of work for the coming ing is owned by Mr. F. L. Edwards.

> A PROGRESSIVE POSTMAS. TER GENERAL

learned at the time of going to press.

By George Wilson Jennings Few people realize the amount of enorgy and courage, combined with the optimistic spirit that has been demon. Rumford one day last week. strated by Postmaster General Hays since he has become a member of President Harding's Cabinet. To be the head of the Postal service the most complicated and exacting department, requires progressive and executive ability, which few public men possess.

Will H. Hays cannot be daunted in his keen perception of the needs of the service and the problems of its many tions fail to faze him. He possesses tact for some time, remains about the same, branches, trying features and condito a marked degree. It is at all times, much in evidence in his decisions. Not on Church street. He is improving slowmany months after he was installed, ly. he succeeded in making rapid strides in his study and conception of the Postal teresting, judging from the ripples of service. He learned its many needs and Portland, Wednesday to spend a few varied demands. General Hays has the days. most implicit faith that the employee's present. The following project leaders throughout the country will in every Mrs. David Babson, who has been at making his administration the best in Monday. the history of the service.

He has installed the Wolfars idea, it! Mr. S. S. Greenleaf was in Andover, means a marked change for the bet- Saturday, being called there profes- Song by Brothers Wight, Brinck, Enterment of the Postal clerk who fully isloudly. done for him in this particular line. The many friends of Mr. Eugene Mar-

the parcel post business is costing the gaining. Covernment each year. This is one! The next meeting will be held Feb. litem in which heretofore nobody has in- Miss Maria Robertson has gone to od of calling in the Pass Books for veri- 25th. Everyone invited. It is under terested himself to any great extent. Maple Inn to spend the remainder of deation. This method has proven very stood that the men will be invited at It is as unknown a quantity as a probite winter.

A leading New York City business man told the writer, "In my vast ex. Sunday, to visit her son, Dr. Edson Reading, perience I have never before received a Buker, and family. more satisfactory and complete mail forts of our worthy Postmaster General away Tuesday morning. purpose of correcting any errors or Monday, to work for Mrs. J. A. Thurs, much closer alliance with business and visiting relatives in Augusta and Auits varied and vital interests with the burn, returned home Sunday.

General Hays will in the near fature re-, by Miss Harriet Merrill at her home on arrange bureaus. Functioning is not to Bread street, Priday evening. books at the bank, or sending them in Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight and son, be abandoned. Along with the Public by mall, on or before Thursday, January Daniel, were callers at W. W. Kilgore's, Welfare, there will be a new depart. Rowena F. Goodwin, Chiropractor, ment of Public works, with sweeping will be at Maple Inn, Monday and Fri-Mr. and Mrs & A. Eames were San I readjustments of all the existing de day of each week from 5 to 8 P. M. partments in order to put economy and

a citizen who has been an bonor and M. A. Paine has finished work for J. compleyed. This number has been ex-veinter in Feliamere Fla. position with leaps and hounds in the he was one. Mr. Wadsworth was in Mrs. Mande Bouglass and sen Pharles volume of operations. To be at the ferem an unanemiantable tack.

appendid orders. 1880 and 1881 he was Associate Editor. Miss More Baker has resemed her also model succed, but especially for congratulations.

the remainder to the winter.

Mrs. Mary Young is gaining quite The work was done in a very impressive great danger to other children. Ell Grover has been at work for L. fast now. All are glad to hear she is manner and was enjoyed by a large

BETHEL AND VIOINITY

Dr. I. H. Wight was in Portland, Fri-

Mr. Ralph Sawyer was in Portland,

Mrs. H. S. Jodrey was in Berlin, N. H., Monday. Mrs. G. L. Thurston was in Portland

Friday and Saturday.

Judge and Mrs. A. E. Herrick were in Portland, Thursday.

Mr. F. E. Donahue of Berlia, N. H. was in town last week.

Mr. W. H. Boyker has completed his

duties at Carver's store. The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. Frank Kendall, Tuesday afternoon,

Mrs. Henry Austin visited her par ents, Sunday, at Shelburne.

Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Tibbetts were in Misa Elizabeth Emery is visiting rela-

tives in Portland for a few days. Mr. Charles Cross was in Colebrook, N. II., last week to visit relatives.

Miss Mona Martyn of Norway spent the week end at her home in town.

Mrs. Ward Swan, who has been ill

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bartlett went to

possible way endeavor to assist him in the Abbott Hospital, returned home,

Mr. Hays proposes to discover what tyn will be glad to learn that he is

Mrs. W. C. Curtis went to Auburn,

Mrs. Pike, who has been at the Ab-

It is understood that Postmaster The Crocket Club will be entertained

Lin Bennett and his mother called on efficiency into the Government band. A letter received from Mrs. O. M. eral men cutting pulp, cord wood and

Mason brought good news from our other lumber. In the service more than \$50,000 are Bethel friends who are enjoying the

Mr. Henry Laomis of Clavetock, N. pice quality. he was one. Mr. Wadsworth was in Mrs. Moude trouglass con son rearries contact of the state of t During his long and useful life he has Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith are re- Will II. Hays has been given the ford, Dec. 28. Mrs. Loomis was the rows of C. M. Kimball and son. terved in many offices of responsibility, eccessing congrutofations on the high of title of an "Organization Genius" by daughter of Mrs. Ada Twitchell Wight. Mr. and Mrs. Chas, Simpson of Rumand has always given of his best to the a dissiplier, been at liethel, Monday, his sany friends and admirers through and resided in Bothel several years un ford are settled in their new home on the best to the a dissiplier, been at liethel, Monday, his sany friends and admirers through and resided in Bothel several years un ford are settled in their new home on the best to the admirerable of her father, when the the Locke's Mills road. to served the same capacity for about. Mrs. Manie tracis and Mrs. Turner there erance and tast me the two a graduate nurse-and the many liethed purchased. forty other papers during that time. In secu callers at J. H. Volt's, Sonday. | great qualities most valuable for an friends of the family extend hearty. Miss Annie Winslow is spending the

andertaking to bring the l'estal service; caused more or less concern at times to attendance and ten tables were allest to the bighest standard of efficiency, parents whose children had thus far Mrs. Carrie Bartlett won the lady's us a very interesting and able sermon ally ceases at once when their family man's prize, Refreshments were served, members of the local Chapter of Univer-Mr. E. M. Walker left Wednesday in affected-and the children and al- followed by a social dance-which was solial Comrades with others, and in his for St. Peteraburg, Florida, to join lowed to roam the atresse without in greatly enjoyed by a jolly crowd of talk explained the work which might his plater and family, Mr. and Mrs. terforence. This cough is a serious men. young people. Mr. Loon Enman visited his aunt in Clinton Metcalf and daughter, to spend nee to public health and it abould be Tuesday evening, Gorham Lodge of not seem unreasonable to ask the good the week end with Mrs. B. P. Brown. man life and helping to prepare the Mr. and Mrs. Origin called at Mrs. Knights of Pythias came down and con- people of Bethel to use common senso forced the rank of Page on several can. with their family and keep their chil. Mr. N. B. Richardson expects to senable in the future, when the great re-Mrs. Wallingford returned home to didates. Supper was served at 5.20 and dren at home, though they may be "hav. leave Thursday of this week for Pine- sponsibilities of life rest on their shouldthe meeting was called at 6 o'clock. ing it light', as even then there is hurst, N. C., where he will spend the ers. Mr. Peck expects to be with us

GRANGE NEWS

CRYSTAL SPRING GRANGE Crystal Spring Grange, Donmark, held ficers were installed by Past Master F.

E. Colby: Master-A. S. Colby Overseer-Fred Colby Lecturer-Lilla Colby Steward-Kennoth Lord Asst. Steward-Clifford Smith Secretary-Mabel W. Dresser Gate Keeper-Verne Dresser Ceres-Effe Trumbull Pomona-Emma Lord Fiora-Susio Blako -L. A. Steward-Emma Trumbull Chaplain-Angie Golby Treasurer-Bailey Trumbull

served after the installation. BETHEL GRANGE Bethel Grange held its installation Jan. 5. Past Master Percy O. Brinck of Bear River Grange was installing officer. There were three applications

read by the Secretary for membership. Bountiful refreshments were served at the close of installation. The Lecturer presented the following program: Grace Wheeler Reading.

Mrs. Billings, Dan Sullivan Reading, encore, Mrs. A. E. K. Grover Song, encore,

Alberta Stearns, Ray York Remarks Supt. Russell Rev. Mr. Achenbach: Closed in form. Fifty-eight members? and thirty-five visitors were present. The next meeting will be held Jan. 19.

BEAR RIVER GRANGE

Bear River Grange held its regular meeting Saturday evening, Dec. 31. Iti was Gentlman's Night and we don't think any of the sisters will dispute it. The Brothers filled the chairs and the graces looked very graceful. A short business session was carried out, afteri which the Grange was closed, and a public program was rendered by the Brothers, as follows:

man and Bennett Bro. Powers Original Poem L. E. Wight Ernest Holt Reading. E. E. Bennett! Recitation E. E. Bennett! Stery, P. O. Brinck Reading L. E. Wight Jowels. Address, Soug, encore, Reading, Reading

Reading, After the program the Sisters were Be Our Attitude Toward Taxes? invited to the dining hall to partake of refreshments served by the brothers! Hays. He has done much for the bet. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hutchinson and consisted of cyster stow, cakes, crintendent of the Sanday School for time was enjoyed by all. Can the Sis. The Foreign Missionary Society met

Jan. 14 will be an all day meeting ning. for installation of officers. Brother The Ladies' Aid will meet with Miss

EAST BETHEL Many cords of pulp wood are being

landed on the river bank. Foster. J. H. Howe is cutting for Eu- sien. The ladies are requested to come gene Rayford. Wm. G. Holt has say carly. Pienie dinner.

Bartlett Bres. R. L. Bonn, Howe, Hastings, Kimball and others are har Really Alivof" Relection by a chir vesting quantities of ice which is of a drea's chorus.

Coulidge and Bryant of Lacke's

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The whooping cough has been with whist in Grange Hall, Raterday over at Kexas Palls.

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recognized as such. If the authorities Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merrill and P. C. U., and also in fraternity and com-

remainder of the winter with his son again sometime in February. Our local and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rick. Chapter of U. C. will be helped greatly by his visit with us.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR LADIES' NIGHT

On Thursday evening, Jan. 5, the their installation of officers on Monday Knights Templar of Bethel and Locko's evening, Jan. 2, when the following of Mills observed Ladies' Night at Bethel

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Inn. At 7 o'clock a banquet of the sort that makes Bethel Inn celebrated throughout New England was served to

twenty-four Sir Knights and ladies. Following the post-prandial speeches the company adjourned to the parlors and much hilarity was occasioned by the indulgence of the new stunt, "Home

Brew Reel." Mrs. W. B. Twaddle made excellent and inspiring music at the plane and for two hours the rafters of this famous hostelry rang with the mirth and laugh-

ter of happy dancers. Refreshments of cake and coffee were A committee consisting of H. C. Rowe, F. B. Merrill, E. M. Walker and A. C. Prost, was appointed to arrange for subsequent festivities.

The following Six Knights and ladies were present: Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Edwards Mr. E. M. Walker Miss Minnie Capen Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rowe Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Tibbetts Mr. F. B. Merrill Miss Harriet Merrill Dr. and Mrs. I. H. Wight Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Fox Mr. A. C. Frost, Miss Dorris Prost Mr. Ernest Bisbee Miss Ethel Philbrick Mr. and Mrs. D. Grover Brooks Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Twaddle Mr. and Mrs. Philip S. Chapman Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Lyon Mr. W. J. Douglass Mrs. Effe Hall Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Thurston Mr. Irving L. Carver Mrs. Ella Mausfield Mr. and Mrs. Lester Tebbets Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Garey Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Brown

Capt. and Mrs. Raymond Hutchinson Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hall Mr. Herman Mason

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tebbets

Mr. W. J. Mackay

Mrs. Dellison Conroy

CHURCH ACTIVITIES MITHODIST CHURCH Rov. C. L. Wheaton, Pastor 10.00 A. M. Moeting of Mother's

E. E. Bennett 10.45. Morning worship. Subject of F. I. French sermon, The Major Cause for an In-

Bro. Enman crease of Taxes. Bro, Eames 12.00. Sunday School, A. C. Adams, Bro. Saunders Superintendent.

Bro. Hastings 7.00. Evening service. What Should All cordially invited to these services. A. C. Adams was re-elected as Sop-

with Mrs. C. K. Fox on Wednesday eve-

Martin of Rumford Point will act as in. Minnio Capen, Thursday afternoon at

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Thursday, Jan. 12: An all-day meeting of the Ladies' Club with Mrs. II. A. L. Swan is cutting pulp for D. C. N. Upton. Sawing for the Grenfell Mis-

> Hunday, Jan. 15: 10.45: Hervice for men, though all invited. These, "What Makes a Man

12.00: Sunday Rehool. 4.00: Junior C. E. meeting. Topic, "Lessons from Paul's Life." Leader,

Madeline Coy. 7.60: Evening muratip. Address by the paster. Theme, "A lible Emi-

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH Hov. J. H. Little, Pastor Hersires next Honday morning at

10.45. Sanday School at 12.00. Evening service at 7.00.

Seals free. All are welcome. Mr. Lowis Peck of Lewiston gave fast Sunday and at 4 d'elock mot the he done by the men in helplay the church, the Sunday School and the Y. young people of today for faithful citi-

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THE J. E. JONES LETTER

FARM BLOC HOLDS BALANCE OF POWER

Senator Porter J. McCumber of No. nance Committee of the Senate. This islative machinery of the Government. Measures that affect the tariff and faxation pass through this committee, and it has always been the practice of this particular group to practically re-write the bills along those lines after they have gone through the lower House. The farm bloc thus becomes more than

ever a torment to the Republicans who believe with the President in "party responsibility." McCumber is by reason of geography and self-interest a champlon of everything that the farm bloc stands for. Senator Penrose was for his political party, "first, last and all the time." He detested the farm bloc. But he was so astute a politician that he consented to the demands of the farm group in order to assure success for the ax bill that was passed this Winter. The so-called "old guard" politicians

in Congress are still asserting that something must be done to control the farm bloc," and Chairman Fess of the Republican Congressional Committee has decreed that there must be a "campaign of education," which oracular remark he follows with a column or more of advice upon the subject. In all ention" will wind up by the selection of a new chairman of the Republican ommittee. Everybody in Washington knows very

well that the farm group in Congress through Congress that is desired by the Administration. "Ay, there's the rub" -because their votes are likewise suf-

the best men in both branches of Con- House to the public and shook hands gress who believe that the agricultural with thousands of their countrymen, as Interests of the country should come they passed in line. This time-honored first in legislation. That is their simple custom was abandoned by former Presinearly every piece of legislation of na- personni contact with great crowds of ional importance that comes up.

willing to cooperate with their fellow dential hand is weary and languid to. TREATY DEBATES WILL BE INTER. ties among prophets of old who attempt Republicans; but it does mean that in night from the cordial shakes of Cabievery case the interests of the farmers, net officers, Supreme Court Justices,

Sometimes the light is on the off side, to throw that silver dollar across the At the moment it looks as though these doubt. sometimes on the near. In the latter case, well and good. You merely got the impression of a motorcycle taking up an under amount of the read. But Patented after a formula of one of the lead- when the lenely illumination is on the ing dug and eat practitioners of the country, starboard side, the deity of evil lack They are a powerful tonic and conditioner. In must chartle at the mighty good chance or the other of a wheel or two and A fender.

The reason for the number of ears that dodge about the streets with but a single light is a bit uncertain. Admitting that lights will go bal unexpectleave the one good light on the right side. To switch a balls is but the work of a minute or two and meach the avoidof the battered darkin in so A.R. P. bomital, who explained: "Ab ment to tide between two motobeyele lights, but it was an army track " It is to be feared that the folks who den't earry empany and doctor bregges of the lack

BOOTLEGOING "BACKAMENTAL WINE"

When you ese "Pempelian Olive Oil" you are apt to be in close relation to For cuts, burns, chapped hands, etc., in humans, posed to be the man who first put the Musher has done. Two or three years



ago he carried page advertisements day ifter day in the Washington newspapers concerning the rates of exchange for money in use between Spain and the United States. At the time people wonderer whether Musher had gone erazy and was wasting his money on a myth. Whether that expensive exploit had anything to do with Musher's latest exploit does not appear, but if there should turn out to be a connection, at least one United States Senator might be called upon to explain his outspoken interest in the "reform," In the Fall of 1920 Musher engaged in shipping "sacramental wine" from Spain, and he brought 750,000 gallons of it into the United States. This wine had a value of about \$4,500,000. It transpires that Musher engaged Apron Silverstone, the son of a Jewish rabbi in Washingand to remain long enough to obtain heritage of civilization. quant-residence, and then to certify the wine as a kosher product. It turns out now that Silverstone was not a rabbi, but his certificates sufficed. When the finally gas for purposes of illumination. wine was on the high reas Musher attempted to negotiate with a well-known New York rabbi to meet the shipment and okeh it as kosher wine at for sacramental purposes. Failing in this, he engaged numerous other persons to handle the permits that were necessary to get hold of the wine, and among the names of those who were supposedly rabbis appears the names of Patrick Houilihan and James Maguire, Musher seems to have disposed of most of his product, despite the interference of pro-

THE PRESIDENT'S NEW YEAR'S RECEPTION

hibition agents, who point to the case

as one in which there has doubtless been

a good deal of bootlegging in enera-

mental wine,

"Democracy" had its day under a scient in number to kill any bill that Republican Administration when on New Year's President and Mrs. Hard-The farm bloc is composed of some of ing threw open the doors of the White Members of the farm bloe say that always popular in Washington, but the they are not original in their demands, New Year's reception is the only one and they calmly meet all challenges in which everybody can join. A bright Potomac. It's a wonder President treaties would be ratified, but one who What are you going to do about it?" reception at its close used the following Harding has the strength left to pitch makes predictions about the fate of That does not mean that they are not rather elever description: "The Presi- a horse shoe,"

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PREHISTORIC SUNSHINE

historic sunshine. Ages before the color industry dawn of our own era vast forests cov- This is not a large ton, to go to the Mediterranean port of Malaga, Spain, where the wine was held, after the lapse of ages it became the cause American in-

For centuries after it came into use more than two mil-coal was looked upon as valuable only lion workers and sibilities a few years ago but today it dent upon dyes. would be difficult to enumerate all the Take, for instance, textiles, leather,

Coal contains a little of everything that goes to make up trees but it would be a mistake to imagine that everything that comes out of coal tar thousands of new substances. This is synthetic chemistry, or the process of building up intricate compounds step duce every necessity and most of the luxuries. No longer need we be delicuted to be delicuted

Raw material for the development of these coal tar by-products—war matezers. Far off rubber trees are not so rials, fertilizers, colors, drugs and a important if we manufacture our own rubber in the laboratory.

Brigadier-General Amos A. Fries, Chief of the Chemical Warfare Service, U. S. A., in a recent paper said:

"What a thrill it must have given the German himself when he realized the

discovered in coal tar. Recently a is contained within it. While there are only about a dozen 1 imary products sending traders on perilous quests to extracted from coal tar, from these the four corners of the world for needed things a man may now stay at the court of the chemists to pro-Raw material for the development of Germany if we make our own fertili-

> not go on indefi- German himself when he realized the lions of dollars' the dye industry would give him wher worth of this inval- waging war. He felt that with that uable substance if control he could win in a war against in future years we the whole world. And few indeed are hope to stand on an they who know just how close Gereven footing with many came to winning that war. The those nations that lesson which that bit of history teaches ing have recog- us is to make ourselves-masters of the chemical industry in all its ramifica-The development tions, resting secure in the knowledge of these products that if we do so no power on earth can and compounds overcome us for lack of war materials."

(Released by the Institute of American Business, New York)

ESTING

The program of Congress as it has whether in foreign or domestic com Congressmen, diplomats, Oldest Inhabi- been sketched by the lenders presents merce, taxation, transportation, market tants of the District of Columbia and little of unusual interest besides the ing, credits, or any other activity, must just plain citizens, not to speak of the new treatics that have grown out of cert in which every man sings his own be recognized in every bill before it will extra weariness derived from frequent the Conference for the Limitation of song at the same time that his neighreceive the okeh of the statesmen who twintings into the position required by Armament. Of course there is a tariff, bor is also singing his, a practice not hold the balance of power in Congress, the fraternal grips of the Mystic Shrine, bill in the "stocks," and plenty of ap-necessarily so national as convivial. THE ONE-EYED CAR the Knights of Pythias, the Loyal Or- propriation measures, as well as a group There is another form of Dutch conls there a materiat who has not, on the of Moose, the Woodmen of the of issues concerning the railroads, fed. cert in which each per on sings in turn some suburban road, beheld coming to World, and divers other orders charged eral reserve banks, and the "budget one verse of any song he pleases, some some suburban road, beheld coming to world, and divers other orders charged eral reserve banks, and the "budget well-known chorus being used as a but a single light, that proved on the breakington had been a join- tion that is likely to most interest the person has sung, all sing their respecclose up to be a full sized motor car? er, his arm would have been too sore country is the debate upon the treaties, tive songs simultaneously as a grand

treaties should reckon with the mortalied to do likewise.



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At the meeting of the Androscoggin Valley Agricultural Society the following officers were elected: President-G. L. Wadlin

CANTON

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Glover of Mile

.O. M. Richardson has purchased the

J. Burgess of Lawrence, Mass,, also the

Earl Marston of Hartford has recov-

have been guests of her parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Elmer H. York, of Canton.

Vice President-C. W. Walker Secretary-Geo. B. Barrows Treasurer-F. L. Walker Chairman of Trustees-C. H. Robin

Bert Ames, Ridlonville. The other trus- Doan's Kidney Pills have done fine tees are: M. E. Hussey, Canton; H. O. work whenever I have used them for Hussey, Peru; Percy Davenport, Hart- any sign of kidney weakness. I think ford; Herbert Dudley, Livermore; Klaus just as highly of Doan's today as when K. Brackett, Dixfield; Leslie Walker, I first endorsed them." Canton.

Mrs. Annie T. Bose is confined to her Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. X. home by illness.

returned to their home in New Haven, the double ring service being used.

day with Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Stubbs, at the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Ed-Canton Encampment and Anasagunti- Pulsifer of Auburn, Mr. and Mrs. Tilcook Lodge, I. O. O. F., was held on son York and daughter, Mrs. Abbie Friday evening. The Camp officers were Ellis, Miss W. Maude Ellis, Mrs. Frank installed by D. D. G. M. Harold B. Gil; M. Lamb and Miss Agnes Merrill. The bert and D. D. G. M. J. L. Gammon, bride was gowned in white crepe-deassisted by O. M. Richardson as Grand chene, while her going away costume Warden, S. W. Butterfield as High was brown with beautiful coat to match Priest and Treasurer, H. T. Tirrell as and apricot panne velvet hat. The home

Guardian. The officers are: C. P.-Alden E. Johnson S. W.-C. B. Gammon Rec. Scribe-C. A. Newton Fin. Scribe and Treas .- H. A. Swett J. W.-Linwood Darrington Guide-Rodney McCollister

1st Guard of Tent-Ezra Chamberlin 2d Guard of Tent-S, T. Hayden 1st Watch-F. M. Lamb 2d Watch-G. H. Johnson 3d Watch-W. A. Lucas

I. S .- G. B. Barrows O. S .- Wallace Hines.

4th Watch-O. M. Richardson

No. 32, were installed by D. D. G. M. for several years past. She is a member S. C. Fosfer and D. D. G. M. Olie Paine of Evergdreen Chapter, No. 24, O. E. S., of Dixfield, assisted by O. M. Richard- and of the Universalist Circle. son, Grand Warden; H. B. Gilbert, The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Grand Secretary; B. E. Patterson, Grand Mrs. James A. Pulsifer of Auburn. Ho. Treasurer; S. W. Butterfield, Grand is a graduate of Edward Little High Chaplain; J. L. Gammon, Grand Guardi- School and was a student at the Univeran. The officers are as follows:

N. G .- C. Arthur Newton V. G .- Geo. Barrows Rec. Sec .- W. A. Lucas Fin. Sec-II. A. Swett Treasurer-A. S. Bicknell Conductor-F. Bate R. S. N. G .- A. E. Johnson L. S. N. G .- E. L. Darrington R. S. V. G .- II. B. Gilbert L. S. V. G .- J. II. Johnson R. S. S.-J. L. Cammon L. S. S.—John Swascy

I. G.—Rodney McCollister

O. G .- C. B. Gammon At the close of the installation an oy- friends, ater supper was served by a committee

day forenoon and at Canton Point in the wedded life.

The quarantine was lifted on the home of Bernard L. Adams of Canton Point, Wednesday. Mrs. Adams and visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Harlittle son have been ill with scarlet for- rington. er for nine weeks and have nearly ro | Mary Harrington has returned to

fortaining his mother, Airs. Eva Wolker, at George Conner's.

Miss Alice Cushman has been at bome day recently. from Bates College on a visit to her! Mr. and Mrs. Rosco and daughter, father, Elmer B. Cushman, and family Ruby, of South Paris spent a few days where he has taken a longeng is h and during the vacation.

Mrs. Elliot W. Howe of Rumford has Repport. been a guest of relatives in town.

vant and Prack II. Noyes, both of Nor- work at theath Bethel over the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Liegal way, look place at the home of Mr. and end. Mrs. Donald B. Pastridge at Norway, Frank Billings was in this vicioity, Wednesday afternoon. Dr. H. B. Whit Baterday. man of Portland, an uncle of the bride, officiated, the double ring service being Canada, Priday, Dec. Co, to attend the Prychurg. used. They left on a wedding trip to fugeral of her aunt, Miss Dalsy Deardon, St. Petersburg, Fla. Mrs. Noves is well and returned Sunday. known in Canton where the was a form-

PULSIPER-HOLLIS

A charming home wedding occurred at high noon, Baturday, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin K. Hollis of Spring street, when their eldest daughter, Winnifred Marguerite Hollis, became the wife of James Hayes Pulsifer of Farmington. The officialing clergy. man was Rev. P. M. Lamb, pastor of some first of his largest

JUST GOT OVER A COLD?

Maurice E. Hussey spent the week end and often leave them weak. For weak Akers, Wednesday afternoon and the with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Trask of kidneys-well, read what a Bethel man following officers were elected:

F. M. Wood, 4 Park St., says: "My fine bungalow on the west shore of Lake kidneys began to annoy me some years Anasagunticook, owned by Dr. Charles ago after I had strained my back lifting. After this my back ached pretty Business College at Portland. badly and I was in had shape for a

long time. When I took cold, my kid- days this week. neys got congested and at times they acted irregularly. After Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended, I began to Tuesday evening, Jan. 3, the following books held by the Depositor with the use them and they took hold of trouble officers were elected: quickly. I soon had relief from the backache and the action of my kidneys was corrected. Now, I use Doan's Kid- Thomas, J. A. French, C. A. Rand, F. ney Pills as needed and am always ben. S. Emith. ofited. I always keep the remedy on At the directors' meeting officers were hand, getting my supply from Bosser- elected as follows: man's Drug Store." (Statement given Juno 8, 1916.)

On September 9, 1920, Mr. Wood son, Peru; Parold Tribou, Bumford, and said: "During the past four years,

60c at all dealers. Foster-Milburn

Dr. Neil K. Forhan and family have the United Baptist church of Canton, Rachel York, a little niece of the Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hardy spent Sun- bride, was ring bearer. Those present A joint installation of the officers of win K. Hollis, Mr. and Mrs. James A Grand Scribe, A. S. Bicknell as Grand was attractively decorated with pink and white chrysanthemums and green-

> A delicious wedding lunch was served after the ceremony. The young couple were the recipients of many nice gifts, which included silver, cut glass, gold pieces, etc.

The bride is one of Canton's most estimable and popular young lades. She received her education in the Canton schools and at Hebron Academy, from which institution she graduated in the class of 1915. She also took a course at the American Institute of Normal Mothods at Auburndale, Mass. For two The retiring Chief Patriarch, Geo. B. years she was a successful teacher in P. A. Lovejoy is driving team for Lee ing over him. He received three bad Elmer Bailey. Barrows was presented with a collar, the Canton schools and a musical in- Thurston. the presentation speech being made by structor in these schools for about two years. She is endowed with much must-The officers of Anasagunticook Lodge, cal talent and has been a plane teacher

> sity of Maine for three years. At the commencement of the World War he went into training in the Student Training Corps at the U. of M. He was in executive charge of the school garden work in Lowiston and Auburn for three brother, Sheridan Richards, in the woods summers. He has been a resident of Canton for the past two years, having in charge the management of the "Herdsdale Farm," He is now County Agent of the Farm Bureau of Franklin County. For the past year he has been on the board of selectmen for the town lowed by a chicken supper. of Canton. During his short residence in Canton he has made many staunch

The bridal couple left for their new consisting of O. M. Richardson, W. A. home in Farmington on the afternoon Lucas, Wallace Hines, S. T. Hayden, train, A large number assembled at the Rodney McCollister and Leon A. Hard station with confetti and rice to give them a grand "send-off," A bost of Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes occupied the friends extend hearty congratulations pulpit of the Universalist church, Sun and best wishes for a long and happy dexter has been here several weeks at

WEST GREENWOOD Mrs. James Lydon of Portland is again.

Lowiston to residue her sebust work.

of that werk with her motor, Men John

Grace Deardon went to Sherbrooke,

Mrs. Yeargle and children of South

Bothel were in town, Sunday. Cross, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chase were at the home of Frank Slean, Suaday. W. G. Holt of East Bothel was in this vicinity, recently.

ANDOVER

'The Ladies' Aid of the Congregation-Look out for kidney troubles and at church held its annual meeting at backache. Colds overtax the kidneys the home of the President, Mrs. Olive

President-Mrs. C. A. Andrews Vice-Pres .- Mrs. R. D. Thurston Sec. and Treas .-- Mrs. C. A. Rand Helon Bartlett has entered Gray's

Y. A. Thurston was in Boston a few At the annual meeting of the stock-

Clerk-II. M. Thomas Directors-Y. A. Thurston, F. P.

Secretary-H. M. Thomas President-Y. A. Thurston Vice-Pres .- F. P. Thomas Treasurer-J. A. French

Dividend declared on all outstanding stock, 5 per cent. Mr. E. D. Rand has been quite ill.

Daughters was held at the home of the Will Ordway, all located at Vero, Fla. president, Mrs. Wirt Lovejoy, Thursday

of last week. These officers were elect-

President-Mrs. Wirt Lovejoy Vico-Pres,-Mrs. Emma Pratt Secretary-Mrs. Gertrude Smith. Treasurer-Mrs, Harland Averill Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Parsons and

son were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lucion Akers. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Remmington and baby visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Eben Hutching, Sunday. The Grange Sewing Circle met at the home of Mrs. Vard Perkins, Thursday of last week.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Fred Milton, Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Learned onand neighbors at whist, Saturday evening. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake, coffee and doughnuts were served. The first prizes were won by Mrs. John Hew-

Merl Akers and Lyman Abbott. Mrs. Margaret Hall is visiting friends in Boston and vicinity.

ey and Earle Marston, the second by

tertaining their grandchildren from Concord, N. H.

Mrs. John Howey sister, Mrs. Annie Coolidge, Sunday. The Young People's Whist Club met in the Hook and Ludder Hall, Thursday evening with nine tables at play. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Milton won the first prizes and George Akers and Mrs. Nina Clark the second. Dainty refreshments

were served. Mrs. Edward Akers, who was very ill last week, is much improved.

The Ellis River Improvement Company will hold their annual meeting at Rumford, Tuesday, Jan. 17. Homer Richards is working for his at North Andover,

DENMARK

The O. E. S. held their installation of officers Thursday evening, Jan. 5, fol-

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lord of East Pryoborg were in town, Saturday, calling on bis sisters, Mrs. Barah Blake and Mrs. Mary Borry, and stopped over to attend the installation of the Masons in the evening.

Mrs. Elwood Pendexter, who has been in Massachusetts for the last grar, retorned home Saturday night. Mr. Pen-

Mrs. Lloyd Libby, who has been sirk, is gaining and so to be out of done

Schools opened Jan. I after a two weeks encation, with the came teachers, with the exception of Mrs Mildred Notice of the High Setaul, where place, Mr. and Mrs. Colby Walker are on | Nagole on Machin sport the neck out | 1.30 been taken by Mica Berryman of Postland Mrs. Poster resigned her pro-Dr. B. B. Tilbetts was in town one sales and account of pana Londito.

Birlimond Tree and orde have a wed into eamp under Pleasant Mountain, they are to licent the resta.

lace Libby and family, who have Bernard Harrington and Thomas moved into camp at West Bridgton & r The marriage of Mrs. Bertha Stutte- Rennagh, Jr., were home from their the whiter, spent Sanday at the village

Maynard Wentworth and wife spent flunday with Mrs. Wentworth's sister, Mrs. W. B. Lord, and family at East

The farmers are harvesting their ice erop. Good weather for fee. Nellio Leeman and son, Wellington,

who spent the Christmas vacation with May Norton was a guest of Annie her elster in Boston, have returned home. Frank Wales and Mrs. Lydla Meln-

tire of the village have recently had

their houses wired for electric lights. Mrs. C. E. Cobb and elster, Miss Sarah Hacker, started Monday evening, Jan. 1, for Florida, for the remainder of the winter, Mr. C. E. Cobb went in November, Desmark is well represented

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fication

The Banking Department is now making the regular examination of Pass Books of all State Banks, All Savings Depositors having acounts in the South Paris Savings Bank, Norway Savings Bank and the Bethel Savings Bank are requested to either present their books at the bank, or send them by mail for verification. In verifying the Pass Books a representative of the holders of the Andover Water Co., held Banking Department compares the books of the bank for the purpose of correcting any errors or omissions.

This work is done for the benefit of Savings Depositors and the Banking Department should have the full cooperation of all Savings Depositors. All hooks should either be presented at the above banks or sent in by mail for verification on or before Thursday, January 19th, 1922,

in Florida. Those of Denmark there for the winter are: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sanborn, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cobb, Mr. Mr. Fred Bartlett was in Portland and Mrs. Fred March, Miss Sarah Hacker, Mrs. Elmira Irish, Mr. Eugene Bich. The annual meeting of the King's ardson, Mrs. Lester DeVolse and Mr. Mrs. Annio Osgood of Portland is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Small for a few days.

PORTER

Mrs. Ed. Thurston visited her daughter, Mrs. Harry Goodwin, one day last week.

They are busy cutting ice at Rid. on's mill pond. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Frost were visitors at Kezar Falls on Sunday.

Mrs. Nina Rice worked for her sister it Kozar Falls last Thursday. Mrs. Freeman Sawyer, who passed away at the residence of her son, Ells.

worth, at Kezar Falls, last Sunday, was tertained twenty-four of their friends ternoon. The services at the house were him. Mrs. Minnie Weeks and daughter are

Paymond, son of Allie Libby, escaped being burned to death early Wednesday morning. He was warming himself be-, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dunning are en. fore a hot fire in the sitting room stove when the bottom part of his night gown caught fire and soon flames were spread-

sisiting her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Libby. Nora Durgin visited her mother, Sun- Libby's.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldo French spent afternoon

Mrs. Ida Eastman has been earing for

and tire carrier.

Rov. Wm. Philbrick suffered an ill

Mrs. Carrio Wentworth.

Elmer Eastman and family spent ford. Christmas at Ezra Eastman's.

with colds and coughs. Harlan Bartlett is sawing birch for from L. M. Hutchins' pond.

burns on his body, his union suit helped Blanche Bartlett was at home for the car. to save him, his father extinguished the week end from Gould's Academy, Beth-

Elmer Bailey was at home from No. Nowry, Saturday, returning Sunday, Charles Frost visited at H. I. Bartlett's last Sunday. W. D. Kilgore of Lewiston was in

town one day last week, J. P. Skillings' teams went to Bethel

RUMFORD POINT

Mrs. Kate Blanchard and Mrs. Jane Ada Ween has been visiting her aunt, Kimball are in Portland for a short

> ter, Mrs. Lester Richardson, at Rum-Mrs. Grace Roberts of Andover is

working at E. M. Knight's. Stella Elliott returned Monday to her school at Roxbury Station. The farmers here have cut their ice

John Hopkins has hought a new Ford

flames and was burned about the wrist. cl. Her mother took her back Sunday The Citizen; \$2 a year; \$1, 6 months

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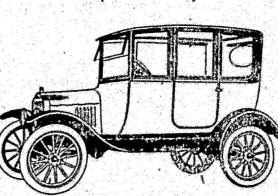
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Christmas at their daughter's, Mrs. Allie Lowell's, in Cornish.

Mrs. Fred Leavitt and baby. Schools began again Monday a three

turn early Friday. He is resting quite for hay the first of the week. comfortable at this writing. Mr. Barbrought here for burial Wednesday at ton of Brownfield is helping care for

Dorn Weeks is boarding at Orrison; Mrs. Goo, Muse is visiting her daugh-

NEWRY D. C. Smith's family are all sick

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 GEORGETTE WAISTS that were \$5.95, now\$3	1.9
VOILE WAISTS that were \$2.95 to \$3.95, now 1	.9.
VOILE WAISTS, several styles to close out at:	59

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1 Kings 29:40 "And or thy corvent was hory hero

and there, he was gone.** THE RUNAWAY

One of the sons of the prophets takes Benha lad of Syria, his defeated enemy. Character The man draws his headband over his lahes. eyes, apparently to eccesal a wound in I flisted on bim, by his own command, and theme. "A charge to keep I have". Now the prophet pulls off his disguise square himself with responsibility.

Now the prophet pulls off his disguise square himself with responsibility.

I wish to bring before you one only evil.

Pulse's seat how the King has condemned veution suggest to us as responsible of these particulars to which we have The boy I have in mind is the tregu-

prisener to his test, placing him where contracts—the moral and spiritual agree to the male aide of childhood and youth, bright conscience, capacity for repent-he may have a watchful eye as him, meats which the nature of our life I simply use the term boy as a short, ance. He has a heart for religion. His Perhaps soldier as grand and soldier us. brings with them. I wish later to speak ened expression for our young life. religious nature can usually be made to Ferhaps soldier en guard and soldier un brings with later to speak derivated become familiar with each at some length of a very marked charge. The boy is first the charge of the blossom vialibly if the skilled and symother after days, perhaps companies for which we are answerable, but here have able. They may each ladeling is take leave to be an influencing the boy Christward the spect for goodness, for persons "on the makes up the "clarge to keep" of the experiences of their travels. The makes up the "clarge to keep" of the processes charch and the church is religious training of the boy has be tion. When Jesus, Hero Parexcollence, Freezally their life together becomes charch and the church's friends. Up the church much is presented to him, he recognizes quick manifes to be said that pathetic hand touches it. He has religious influencing the boy Christward the spect for goodness, for persons "on the modern home increasingly falls. The square." The hero inspires his admiration to the church much is presented to him, he recognizes quick manifes to be said that pathetic hand touches it. He has religious training of the boy has be tion. When Jesus, Hero Parexcollence, when the charge of the church much is presented to him, he recognizes quick manifes to be said that pathetic hand touches it. He has religious training of the boy has be tion. When Jesus, Hero Parexcollence, when the charge of the church much is presented to him, he recognizes quick manifes to be said that pathetic hand touches it. He has re-ligious training of the boy has be tion. When Jesus, Hero Parexcollence, when the charge of the church much is presented to him, he recognizes quick manifes to be said that pathetic hand touches it. He has re-ligious training of the boy has be tion. When Jesus, Hero Parexcollence, when the charge of the church much is presented to him, he recognizes will be the said that pathetic hand to be said that pathetic home. It has been done in inducing the boy Christward the spect for goodness, for persons to the charge o in the grand; he is apparently a con-graties of preclaiming and institling up- boys, is a place of meals, beds, Jobs,

tented charge. Some things about the on the primary of Christ in the order lessons for school, perhaps lonesome tent call for the saldier's attention, of our day, the application of His prin- play. In many a good house live good By Rev. B. T. Achenbach at the Con- More and more seems to demand care, cipies of justice and good will to the people who have a homeless boy. They ifficher the guard turns his back to settlement of all human differences insist he has a good home. They point his charge, even strolls away from the whatever their nature or extent, the to sacrifices they make, worthy ones, tent ones in a while. The keen eyed, essential unity of man as it can be cel for their boy. They have worthy amalert prisoner sees that it will soon not mented by the infusion of His spirit bitions for him. They want him to bebe hard to escape. The moment comes into real world brotherhood, the exist come a good man, however vague their when the guard is more fax than usual ence right now of the "kingdom of in- idea of goodness may be, be it said. a speciation way to survive Ring Ahab and the the charge's faculties awak | telingence, love and rightconsuces that Hat what he needs most of all he does of increosable leniency in dealing with on. He looks all about, marks out a is not seen," the plain duty of men not get from them. They leave the course for a run, then slips away, van to seek that kingdom first, the church deeps of his nature untouched. They as tied's indispensable agent in the edu feither are not trained to deal with his We may adapt the story to a living cation of all men in Itis ways, the ne mysterious mural questionings or are receity of a deep tooted faith in the out of sympathy with them or are conwalts for Ring Abels to came along who must not use these worded In one heart of the modern man in the church lent to leave him to his coming maturities read. When Abels comes near, the way for another everyone has a responsi of the living God and the field of the ty. Pinding no one in the house who would be soldier thus speaks to him: bility. It may be said on the side that living church, the essential justice of will lend an eager ear to his questions of "The extrant ment cut into the milist every one has the responsibility of some the claim of the church upon all that will some his unvoiced needs, who will of the testion and, beheld, a man turned west of beman charge whether he has is good and worthy in the heart and enter his sool and feel the throb of soile, and brought a man onto me, and should stand for the parson who should be every man and the respon acrossess which is to be found in a said. Each this man: if by any means soiler grant stand for the parson who should of overy man in the church or normal boy's heart, he may find some to be missing, then stall the life to for the taken on himself any kend of human out of it for its prosperity and progress one on the street or in the moses of ovil his life, or cles then shall pay a talent frequenciality, Let the flight of the cop in all the varied netlective to which it minded leaders who will enter into him of silver. And as thy arreant was five stand for the outcome of careless is pledged. I would at this point be with the occult sympathy of the demon. hasy here and there, he was gone " need in meeting responsibility. Let the tempted to list many real particulars in Somewhere he may find a place more the account goes one "And the Ring blog's words of judgment stand for which men are to be held to account homelike than a mansion on the avenue of Israel said unto him, so shall the judgment that comes upon any one but must be content to leave with you — he will find a real home in the all judgment hast decided it." This, because of experiences, fails to three generalities which lie at the base chemy of souls, which may mean for

blestelf, and speaks the words of judge thristian people many a way in which to a greater or lesser degree given our lation boy." He has a quick eye, in Now get in mind the arcas of the bring to or with corphasis the fact of lag, in the large sense of the word, of knowledge, readily impressed. He has prophet's feties. A seldier takes a sure pay for our laxity in meeting our the boy. I do not confine my thought a clear sense of right and wrong, a

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. Bessie Sloane is working for Mrs, Walter Bartlett.

Mr. Fred Hapgood was a Sunday

Mrs. Clara Bartlett, who has been ill for some time, is improving.

Mr. F. J. Tyler has gone to Louisville, Kentucky, on a business trip.

Messrs, Cooper and Murphy, bank examiners, were in town, Monday.

Mr. George Hapgood has finished putting in ice at the Hapgood farm.

on his cousin, Mrs. Gertie Hapgood, re-

school, was the week end guest of Edwin Morrill,

oleted their worksfor Mr. and Mrs. F.

Word has been received of the birth of a son in the facily of Mr. and Mrs.

The many friends of Prof. W. S. Wight will be pleased to learn that he is having success with music classes in Connecticut, where he is spending the

There will be a whist party next 30 Dividends unpaid, Cuesday evening at Grange Hall at 8 'clock, given by the Parent-Teacher Association. Free refreshments will be served. An admission of 25 cents will

Twelve friends gathered at the home STATE OF MAINE, of Mary Thurston to help celebrate her COUNTY OF OXFORD, 88 eighth birthday, Thursday, Games were enjoyed and then supper was served. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

Messrs, Fernald and Pendexter of Augusta, Savings Bank Examiners, were Correct-Attest: in town the first of the week. Mr. Fernald returned Tuesday, but Mr. Pendexter will remain for a week to assist in verifying the pass books of the Sav-

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A crew from Bethel Inn are cutting ce at Bongo Pond.

juest at the Hapgood farm.

At Bethel in the State of Maine, at

Mr. W. G. Holt of East Bethel called

Mr. Kane, the teacher at the Songo

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Luxton have com-E, Wheeler, and returned to Mason.

Mr. John Swan and daughter, Mrs. D. C. Conroy, and son, Rupert, left Saturday for Boston, where they are visit-

Albert Clark of Sharon, Pa., on Dec. 23. Bethel friends extend congratulations.

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Charter No. 7613 Reserve District No. 1 REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BETHEL NATIONAL BANK,

the close of business on Dec. 31, 1921.

RESOURCES 1 a Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, (except those shown

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circulation (U. S. bonds par value).

b All other United States Government securities, 24,745.75 Other bonds, stocks, se-89,898.95

curities, etc., Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank, Cash in vault and amount due from national banks, 48,778.83 Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13, \$48,778.83 Checks on banks located outside of city or town

of reporting bank and other cash items, Redemption fund with U. from U. S. Treasurer,

\$259,278.75 LIABILITIES Capital stock paid in, Undivided profits,

c Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid

Circulating notes outstanding, .9,100.00 Certified checks outstanding, 7.50 Totals of Items 21, 22, 23,

24, and 25, 7.50 26 Individual deposits sub-Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Re-

serve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31,

I, Ellery C. Park, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. ELLERY C. PARK, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me A. E. HERRICK, Notary Public.

IRA C. JORDAN. ERNEST M. WALKER, CLARENCE K. FOX, Directors

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NORWAY, MAINE

NOTICE

Savings Depositors

-OF THE-

Savings Banks located in South Paris, Norway and Bethel.

The Maine Statutes provide that the Pass Books of SAV-INGS DEPOSITORS of all Savings Banks and Trust Companies shall be verified once in every three years. This verification of SAVINGS DEPOSITS by the State Banking Department is in addition to the regular annual examination of all State Banking Institutions. The Banking Department is now verifying the Savings Deposits of the following

BETHEL SAVINGS BANK, NORWAY SAVINGS BANK, South paris savings bank, south paris, maine

Savings Depositors of the above banks are requested to either present their books at their respective banks or send them in by mail for verification on or before THURSDAY, JANUARY 19th, 1922.

FRED F. LAWRENCE, Bank Commissioner.

Dated at Augusta, Maine, January 9, 1922.

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service. Whence will you find the strongest up-surges of feeling in boys and girls to be? In those deep soulregions whence they receive the bids to be heroes and heroines.

The normal boy has also a capacity for badness. Not every boy declines a taste of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil. If you imagine that your boy of twelve or fourteen is "sweetly innocent" of every form of avil, recall how much of a stock of information of the foul you had on hand when you were twelve or fourteen and, perhaps, how much sin you had committed at that age. Eugene C. Foster tells us, "One day a Christian father assured me that his boy had 'no bad habits'. But a few hours later the boy himself sat in my home and told me frankly how he had gone the whole range of svil; he said, 'You may speak freely; I have nothing new to learn.' Home, church, Sunday School-not one had touched his real life. No man's restraining, guiding hand had led him through these trying years; alasl now he knew it all." There are forces, instincts in the boy which can be used by his adversary the devil for his debasement and destruction. "Is the boy had or do we misunderstand him?" is the question of fools. The boy has the capacity for evil else his is not the nature of the human; the boy can be bad, can work evil, else he does not have the soul-power of the human. However we may deal philosophically with the question, our everyday observations lead us to declare that there are some had boys in most communities.

The boy, as he is, is placed into the hands of parents, day-school teacher, church-school teacher, pastor, all the people of a community, not merely as one to be restrained within the walls of life's tent of safety but as one who is! to be "kept" in conditions where his boy's nature may develop in moral virility and godliness and all his powers may come to their best. The word of boys it was partly their fault and part-

the Lord is "Keep him." Now comes a consideration which is lem." Often, Oh so often! the boy is not "kept." Why not? "And as thy of his undoing wholly on another or on servant was busy here and there, he was gone." The keeper does not estithings of lesser importance than keepcharge. Many a mother spends hours were too busy here and there, he whom chasing the dust of kitchen and drawing I gave you to keep is gone." nom or in doing up meaningless social calls, (I am not speaking of profitable women who can say to the Lord, "Lord, neighborly visits) or some other duties I made the best use of the time given that leave their life vacuous with never a thought of the filth that may be gathering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to keep, cherish, train the growing if the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and is boarding at E. S. Benering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and is boarding at E. S. Benering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and is boarding at E. S. Benering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and is boarding at E. S. Benering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and is boarding at E. S. Benering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and is boarding at E. S. Benering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and is boarding at E. S. Benering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and is boarding at E. S. Benering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and is boarding at E. S. Benering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and is boarding at E. S. Benering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and is boarding at E. S. Benering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and is boarding at E. S. Benering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and is boarding at E. S. Benering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and is boarding at E. S. Benering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and is boarding at E. S. Benering on her boy's heart, meanwhile to the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and I was a bloom her boy's heart at the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and I was a bloom her boy's heart at the show has returned from Berlin, N. H., and I was a bloom her boy's heart at the show her boy's giving him minutes of attention direct. is the charge, judge of my labors and ed to his physical appearance. Some bless them." hour she awakens to the dreadful fact that her boy, though he cats at her table, and sleeps in her well-ordered house, is "gone." Many a father's frame is stooped by the toil of long days in order that his boy may have clothing and bread and an education, but many a boy might well have fewer of the comforts and ordinary advantages of life and more of the father's chamship and spiritual counsel and time. No father can fulfil his obligation to his boy without letting him see his own father soul, deep lying father travings, high father aspirations, firm father faith. There is no less call now than in the past for the family altar in impressing the young life of a family with the deep things of God. There

epartare thousands of men and women now lowing living who will gladly rise to say that the most lasting impressions of the re-AINE ality and naturalness of religious living AINE were made on their minds, when, in the AINE quiet moments of the early morning or in the dim rays of the evening lamp, ted to Father read from poalm or prophet or e send gospel or epistle and then voiced his DAY, heart's thankfulness for God's mercias and his heart's desires for family, friend, neignbor, all humanity. But is ioner. ever there are Christian fathers who are so "husy here and there" that they do not have time to do this which would exhibit their beliefs and desires before their boys. Yes, it is true that boys were bored by Father's stereotyped proyers and fled the room quickly when the "umen" was spoken; yet in their later years those boys feel the warmth of the gracious bendletion of Father's "morning prayers."

Many a father will some day say to himself, "Itad I known how much my boy needed my vigilance, my guidance, my sympathetic understanding, I would have taken time to know him better, I would have guarded him against evil more deligently, I would have made sis more hideous to him, I would have presented to him Jesus the guardian and guide of boys with naturalness and carnesiness. Dat my business, my pleasares, my various connections elsewhere kept me busy; now the boy is gone."

Neither is the community doing what It should in keeping the boy. With unniferable foolishness men who are otherwise credited with wisdom have decided that the school is "no place for religion." What does this mean? It means that from the education of call-

Loss of Time when Sick

means less of money, as well as physical suffering. Many forms of illness are avoidable by the use of a few common sense precautions.

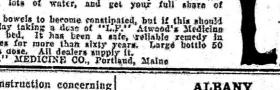
Don't hurry your meals. Take time to chew your food properly; meatication is the first and an important part of the digestive process. Don't tat when overtired; reat a few minutes, it will or sleep.

Drink lots of water, and get your full share of

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dren is dropped instruction concerning which boys and girls should know,

the church. I think most churches are a humorous program was given and sincere in their attempts to keep their social evening enjoyed. boys and girls from moral harm and in cousness. And yet there is even in most Mrs. John Jones. churches considerable dawdling in the activities undertaken to keep youth and took a load of hay to Bryant Pond, childhood in the path of adequate re- Monday, for abel Andrews. ligious education. Most church people are 'too busy here and there' to give with Mrs. Nancy Andrews, Tuesday evtheir most treasured gifts of God any ning. attention. Hence the labor of Christian instruction falls on the few and nigh crushes them. The mass of the church is too busy here and there to join in the magnificent guardianship, and the charge of God's giving is gone -he bums away his Sundays, he loses interest in good things generally, he loafs with the vile, he gets peisoned by the talk of those who sit in the seats of scoffers, he enters the doors of questionable pleasure, he loses the blush of in. for the week end as usual. nocence, he goes beyond the vanishing point of the possibility of noble man-

It needs to be said, to be sure, that there are boys who go the way of evil er. by their own choice in spite of all that for them. Some boys come to a sad cently. end for which no one in the world can be blamed but themselves. With some ly others fault that their lives came to nothing. It can, of course, never be the crux of the so-called "boy prob. said that a boy with normal family and community privileges can put the blame circumstances, yet blame may rest heavily on others and circumstances. It mate the runaway inclinations of the is for us to spend so much good time, boy and spends undue time in doing thought, strength for the boy that we will never need to hear from heaven ing his eye on the keen interests of his the solemn accusation. "Because you

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ALBANY

the greatest fact in the universe, God. The ladies of the Sewing Circle inet Think this through and you will see at the vestry Friday afternoon to finhow ridiculous our attempt at educa- ish a friendship-quilt that the many ter the work was finished a nice Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Bass were week the ways of positive and assertive right- end guests of her granparents, Mr. and and blossom out as a well-dressed

The Missionary meeting was held

GROVER HILL Mrs. Eliza Spinney is quite poorly

this winter. Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Tyler called o friends in Mason, Sunday. Mrs. Albert L. Whitman was the

week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Evander Whitman in Norway. Miss Alice Mundt and Ernest Mundt

were at home from Gould's Academy Bertha Mundt is attending school again after a two weeks' vacation. Miss Lillie Baker from Mason was the week end guest of Miss Amy Wheel-

Mr. S. O. Grover from Mason was the mother, father, teacher, community do guest of his brother, A. B. Grover, re-

> WILSON'S MILLS School commenced Monday after three weeks' vacation. Miss Queenie

Hall of Solon, Maine, teaching. Floyd Hart returned to his school in Pittsfield, Mass., the first of the week,

Mrs. Chas. Linuell has finished her school at Newry and is boarding at D. C. Bennett's. A. D. Cameron has sold his pair of

Darwin Sweatt has been driving the stage from Errol, N. H., the past week. Bertha Storey, who has been quite sick, is some better at this writing.

staying at B. N. Storey's.

Tables Made of Paper, Tables, chairs and other articles of furniture are low made from com-

STATE OF MAINE

PROCLAMATION

By The Governor

January 1st, 1922

New Year's Resolutions for the State of Maine.

As the individual is accustomed to pause upon the threshold of a New Year to review the past and survey the prospect before him, so may we the People of Maine on New Year's Day, 1922, look back upon the year that has closed and resolve upon a course of action for the year that has begun.

Let us as a people, whatever our origin or creed, and regardless of our station in life, enter upon this New Year with the determination-

To recognize honest differences of opinion, and to make serious effort to get other people's point of view:

To credit other people with good intentions:

To think and speak well of othera:

To ask no privileges for ourselves we are not willing to accord to others:

To remember that true personal liberty goes hand in hand with self-control:

To appreciate the great privilege it is to be a citizen of Maine, a State that has no peer among its sister States: To make Maine a law-abiding State that will serve as an

To add the "Golden Rule" to the State's motto "Dirigo".

Given at the Office of the Governor at Augusta, and scaled with the Great Scal of Maine, this First Day of January, in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-two, and of the State of Maine the One Hundred and Second.

> PERCIVAL P. BAXTER, Governor of Maine.

By the Governor, FRANK W. BALL, Secretary of State,

example to our Country, and

Susan Rides in a Parlor Car

By LAURA MONTGOMERY.

While the Simpsons had lived in Emington they had had a hard time to make both ends meet. After they had moved three stations down the line Joseph began to get more work and Mrs. Simpson was able to use ting must be in the eyes of the God friends of Mrs. Isane Wardwell have her energies for her family instead of who creates all the things concerning been making for her as a surprise. Af- helping out the earnings of her husband by doing two washings a week Another agency of the community is was served to 28 people, after which at home. The same energy that had impelled her to slave over the washtubs was now diverted into other channels and she constantly urged Susan, her nineteen-year-old daughter, to try young lady. Perley Grover and Will Grover each

"If you'd just hold your head up, Susan, and study hard there's no telling where you might land," she prodded, stitching away at a too-elaborate white frock for the girl.

"But, ma, we're just ordinary vilwhat we have, so why bother? I don't want to land anywhere except-" here a delicate plak crept up into her freckled cheeks, that were a sating white where the golden dust of the freckles had not come-"in Charlle's cottage. I used to wonder who would want to marry me, and of all the fellows I never thought of him. He's so strong and tall. Don't you think he is the best looking man in Eming-

Her mother glanced down the brown ribbon of road that led toward the quaint village. The small house with the steep green roof was on an ambitious rise of ground that nearly achieved the distinction of being a hill. She could see the roofs of the village that swept heavily along the hot clouds above the single-track rallroad.

"I often think, Susan," said ma dreamly, "what the railroad might bring. Most any one might come in



"You Are Fresh and Pretty-"

on the noon train-yes," she said in answer to her daughter's questioning glance, "Charlle is good looking, but you might marry better than a blacksmith. You are fresh and pretty-

The dawning pink became a mortified scarlet. "Ma, how you talk, as though I'd marry to better myself. I that I'll live in the darling brown cottage that is nearly finished,"

be pushed forward in spite of her silly famous and powerful. But the chartscruples. Ma had insisted upon Susan of of fire never appear. The golden taking a few singing lessons and the lands that lie at the end of the raingirl was to sing a solo at Gleanel's hall at Emington. When the time firmament the meteors of great succame for the entertalnment ma went about with a mysterious, secretico smile on her pursed up lips. She had | balanced man over thirty ought to folshed the fuzzel up white inco frock with its intricate trimmings of tiny ruffles and she had even sent | fancy clothes. away (through a contiorder catatettered unless Susan remembered to f walk very carefully.

"I guess," sold me when the had qualifies that who at last. fastened the last book and ribbon and turned the embarrassed Susan around for the family gaze, "that no one who looks at her today will remember that I used to take in two blg washings a week to keep us going. With Susan's voice and looks gardens of imagination. there's no telling how far she'll go," "Mo't she goln' to Emington to sing look out for him.-Thrift Magazine. conight?" queried Freddy excitedly,

"Stopld, we're all golo'." relled Lucy, holding out a tightly braided head, "Ma, fron my pletta now ao thor'll be good not fuzzy. Shall I him? have a white dress like Busan's after ! she's married to Charlle?"

come in on the train," mused ma, twitching at Susan's seah. "He sure you slok just as loud as you can and don't let that Spriggs girl think she can alog better's you just because she's taken six months. You've got a natural soprano,"

when the pregramme opened she join.

knew that she would be unable to sing a single note, but she remained silent.

"Now," said ma grandly as she emerged from the ticket office with the tickets, "I've done something big for Susan. Here's the Banner coming now, down the track, You children and pa stand ready to hop on, and be sure and turn back some sents, so's we can all ride facing each other. You, Susan, are going to ride in the parlor car. Here's the ticket for your ride. Mr. Mendows sure stared when l asked him to reserve a chair in the parlor car for today. I've read that only the best people travel that way, and there's no telling who-" Her eager voice was drowned in the approaching roar of the Banner train from St. Louis, and before the dazed Susan could ask how much the reservation cost she had been helped up the steps by the colored porter and the train flashed off.

Susan kept her eyes fixed on the flying landscape for a few miles, then timidly raised her eyes. Her fellow passengers pald scant attention to the little freckled country girl in her Anna French, Secretary. unsuitable frock of lace and floppy hat. She vaguely sensed the difference in clothing and tried to keep her white satin shod feet under the footrest. She was glad when her station John Harrington, K. of R. and S. was called and she tottered to the yeslage folk. Everybody knows to a cent tibule to descend. At the farther end of the truin she saw Charlie gayly helping down ma and the outperous members of ma's family.

"Why, where's Susan?" she heard him exclaim as pa gingerly stepped & C. down from the high step of the day conch and counted heads.

"Susan," ma's voice was replete with pride, "came in the parlor car. You know, she's agoin' to sing at the ball tonight."

Charlie's face clouded. He went slowly toward the small, white-clad figure tottering along auxiously toward him, "Susan, I feet ashamed of you," he said sternly. "Why should you ride in a chair car and your ma go in the day coach? If you've got such notions as that I don't think and the curling wreaths of gray smoke | you're cut out for a working man's wife. Is a duke coming to take you to the hall or do you want me to help you along in those satin shoes?" Susan's oyes misted suddenly, but

she was too shy to reply. Pa, who had followed, intervened.

"Susan didn't know that she was to ride in the parlor car. It's her ma's doings. You see," pa winked at the disapproving young man, "I've never been of much account in the family and ma has had to look out for our future, but," he sent a cautious glance back to where his better-half was talking volubly with a group of old neighbors, "I guess I'll have to begin and curb her some. Now that she ain't busy with the two washings a week her mind is running toward society-doings and she plagues Susan about acting like a young lady instead of a nice

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"I thought my dress was pretty fancy," murmured Susan with a contrite smile in the direction of her intrepld mother, "but I bated to say anything after ma worked so hard decking me out."

"Oh," Charlie tucked the sunburned little hand under his arm with a belligerent glance at a traveling man nearby, "that's it. Say, Susan, I thought for a minute that you'd grown above me. Want to stop in at the Ice cream parlor and get something? All the family, too," he added generously. Susan's face became sunshiny, "All

right," she assented, "my throat does feel awful dry,"

PERSISTENCE WINS THE RACE

Man Who Is Willing to Devote Himself to the "Steady Grind" Will Al. ways Be Victor.

The fellow who knows how to grind gets there in the end, Some people are always looking for lore Charlle and I'm proud to think aky rockets. They believe human affairs are guided by the gentus of luck. They believe in a Santa Claus for ad-Ma's tired, ambitious head wagged ults. They expect to wake up some sagely over her sawing. Susan should marning and find themselves wealthy, bow are never reached. Across their

ress perer fash. If there is anything that a wellknow it is that Gentus is generally nothing but Hard Work disgulated in

It's the stendy grind day after day lizzie) and laught a pair of white in the face of ups and downs that satin allepers with webbly heels that mobies a fellow's dreams come true. Constant application, persistency and degard determination are the

Shaking dice with tate is a fool's game. History records the victories of no man who was not a day laborer in life's harvest field. Good luck is the rarest flower that

blows, and if blossoms mostly in the If your rival is a steady grinder,

Friend-But, dear, what do you see

in Mr. Dud-Simpley, to want to marry Mrs. De Smart (a society widow)-Don't know, dear, I'm sure, except "You never can tell who might that his initials bein' the same will save me the awful lag of alteria, the monogram on everything I possess,

Became Historic Emblem. The American tlag that a Scotsweman made to use at the burish of the Tuscania victims, was presented to Rusan, nervous and uneasy nodded President Wilson, who had it deposited musely. If her throat felt the same in the National museum in August,

SOCIETY DIRECTORY

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in

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CHEAP SPORTS

COT OHOW weary of reading the despicable flings at women which seem to pass for wit in some newspuper offices," said the professor, "If men were only half as good as women the world would be a much better place In which to live."

"Yet you must admit that women haveavellow streak," protested low-browed "They are great people in s ceneral way, and if they were abolished it would be little short of a calamity, but they are cheap sports. That's the worst

I know about "Last fall about a thousand women came to town es and the citizens were asked to furnish them with board and lodging during their stay. These dames came to town tormed out in purple and fine linen and bespangled with practous atones, and most of them had money in every pocket, yet not one of them thought of going to a hotel and paying her way like a little man. In the bunch were the wives of bankers and laundrymen and editors, and other notoriously wealthy citizens, and they were such poor sports that they were willing to

up a few bones at the caravansary, There were alx of these female delegates at our house. Aunt Julia goes the limit when it comes to hospitality. When she first heard that the women of the town were expected to take care of the delegates the said she would take care of two of them. A day or two later she sent word that she could provide for four, and then she concluded she could handle six, and if she had had a few more days, she'd have volunteered to take charge of the whole convention. She's a good sport, even If all the rest of the women are four-

accept a handout rather than loosen

"The six women arrived on time and the look of them gave me chills and larer. They were flerce old relics with tortoiseschell combs in their hair. I was hoping our delegates might be young and attractive, but these women all had false teeth and large feet.

was expected to five in the cow stable during their eter, and before they came I protested bitterly; but affor seeing them I was perfeculy satisfied with the arrangement. Aint Julia actually gave up her comfortable bedroom and alept on a cot in the kitchen, Bhe had been busy for days fixing up things so the women would be comfort-

"You should have seen those six women when they came down for breakfast the first morning they were there. They looked on sour as though they had just been given ten days on the rockpile. They began grumbling among themselves, taking care to talk loud coough for Aunt Julia to hear. One said she had alwars been used to a good big pillow, and she couldn't sleep on a pillow the size of a pin cushion. If strangers ever stayed over night at her house, she said, they would be given real pillows, and not graven images.

"Another old hag said the bed she slept in kept her awake all night with its creaking and grouping. It evidently peeded oiling. She didn't believe that any woman with proper self-respect would fot a guest hove such a bed.

Aunt Julia listened for a while, and I could hear her tooth grating like a coffee mill. After a while she went upstairs and gathered all the bandbage and other trajecterionsing to these log the left then and and the set them the earth?" their junk, and inclind thim to go down to the repleas lated any ages, seek the des as for parts and lodeling to a feat cor!

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Laft an Opening. "Opportually is knowling at your mid the Optimist.

"I hate the whole title of knocks eral" growled the l'essimiet, "That being the case," said the Oplimist, preparing to dack, "It's quite ertions that you hate yourselt."

e-Fre confided the secret of our ent to just three of my dear He-Three, all faid?

Species of Birds Should Not Be Persecuted.

"Owls as a group have long been persecuted by man, but never has a persecution been more unjust," says the biological survey of the United States Department of Agriculture, which recently determined what 675 barn owls had for dinner. Here is the menu:

Mendow mice, 1,110; house mice, 452; house rats, 134; other small mammals, three per owl. The service done man by the barn owl, the Survey booklet says, is typical of that performed by hawks and owls in general. An occasional chicken is consumed, but this loss is far outwelghed by the destruction of harmful ro-

The sparrow, says the Survey, should not be regarded as a pest. The single exception to the indorsement is the peaky English sparrow of that species, "usually a nulsance and often injurious," says the booklet, "Farm Help From the Birds," The English sparrow is but one member of the large family of sparrows and its habits are by no means characteristic of the native species.

They are essentially seed eaters, the sparrows, but they consume also a fair proportion of insects, the department finds, and in general must be regarded as beneficial. Separating the sheep from the goats in the feathered kingdom of common knowledge to the farmer, the department places among the bad birds the jays, crows, ravens, and blackbirds, a corporal's guard compared with the army of good birds, who ald the farmer. Even the bad denizens of the air have some good in them, says the department, and the damage they do the farmer is largely because of over-population in the feathered ranks. Of that class, the department says;

"It would seem a good policy to accord them the same treatment long given the common crow. The crow is not specially persecuted, neither is it protected. About the best that can be sald of birds of this family is that on the average they do about as much good as harm."

POWER OF LITTLE THINGS

How Triffes Have Brought About Momentous Changes In the Destinles of Nations.

The destinies of nations have turned on the most trivial things imaginable, Here are a few examples of unusual nterest, London Answers states:

The beauty of Helen of Troy caused a terrible war and "launched a thousand ahips and burned the topless towers of Elluma." The war insted for ten years,

The oak tree that sheltered Charles tuart from fight at Worchester made possible the return of the Stunrts to the throne of England. The mole which made the molehilt

in Hushey park that caused William II.'s horse to stumble, and so brought about the klog's death, was long a famous toast among the Jacobites, The toast was to "the little gentleman in the velvet cont,"

Then, again, the geese in the capitol of Rome saved the city by their timely quacking. The beauty of Cleopatra led to the

fall of noble Mark Anthony; the steam from Watt's kettle altered the world's ideas of locomotives and the wave ripple in a pond led Marconi to experiment with the electro-magnetic waves of wireless telegraphy. Truly, from little things do blg

events derivel

Why Chinese Esteem Jade.

When Confucius was asked why lade was so highly esteemed he replied in effect: "It is because in ancleat times the wise compared the virtues of humanity to Jade; its hardness represents the firmness of Intelligence; the sharpness of its angles ografiolizes justice; pearls of jade when worn represent recemonial; its though ture and amornia, with its proplicity of cessing abruptly, is the emblets of music; its spirador resembeldacies, and put them on the joseth, bles the sky, and its substance, drawn sul when the traver were dute eat- from countries and stream, represents Jace nos conspicuous la religions

the the left Art Museum, At Lania.

Why Cost Was Reined.

"Mountaining fault or fugithe there are places when the face them, but so are required for trustle otite, to more came it a toundryman The regress of bullion which stong to thousally dates the corretory of by a box, proved to eat d on empres of the fattish bederation of taunderors. they can and in reserve cut them. It to before her to a more east which would be interested to know what bod from out to the cost and rehappens as an effect of the citing thus terred to be less and desceptive eards then it has been reported that o In Gerian the netters balt a text | longe number of mate made of most under the law sparry backing to a colo-marked Eustand from themany. tire, catch them as they drop, then and electrical exacultation of the recarry then hance built throughd eat the particle of the garment de chaged disclosed the feet that it bed taxa controly tande of paper.

How They Ost Ready.

The birds and beasts that live in the bronk soo in New York city are pre-partice for an early and hard minter Although they live in luxury, and don't have to warry about where their next meal is coming from, they are incline.

tirely hearding up food.
All classes of solmals scent a stiff winter, keepers say. The squirrels are patting in full days storing up unusually large quantities of nuis. The prairie dogs, a senith shead of time, are secreting lots of food into their

WHAT SCOUTS FIND TO DO.

moved a large number of rocks and other obstructions from the Lake Kegonea camp ground so as to permit better boating and bathing, to the better satisfaction of the cottagers and campars concerned.

A Brooklyn (N. Y.) troop gave up a much anticipated overnight like and spent their holiday instead painting and repairing a fence which surrounded church property.

Honolulu scouts have been supporting a French orphan in Paris for four

Stratford (Cal.) scouts, among other activities found time to build a tennis court, plant trees and make other improvements in their local park, helped the American Legion conduct a city clean-up, made a point of picking up the glass or nails they saw in the streets on their way to school and troop meetings, collected 125 pounds of old clothing for the Near East relief and extinguished a formidable

Columbus (O.) scouts have performed ,000 hours of civic service that everybody knows about, not to mention the probable other 5,000 small, individual "good turns" which aren't done in the public eye, but which stand for good couting none the less,

EXPERTS ON "FIRST AID."



When a Scout la Injured in Camp, Any of His "Pala" Know Just What to Do For Him-and Do It.

LEAVES FOR HONOLULU.

James E. Wilder, chief sea scout of the Boy Scouts of America, inventor of the famous Pine Tree patrol and good scout generally, left recently for the Pacific coast where he will visit all the sea scout bases and Join Doctor Fisher, deputy chief scout executive. and I. I. McDonald, director of the camping department, in their conference with various regional leaders. Later, Chief Wilder will visit Honolulu, where he used to be a scout commissioner, and which is a flourishing center of sea scouting. He will be gone about aix months.

PRINCE BENDS MESSAGE.

The Prince of Wales, who is also the chief scout of Wales and an enthuslastle supporter of the movement, sent the following message to Patrol Leaders Marr and Mooney, who were chasen for the antartle expedition:

"Illa Royal Highwess was very interested to hear that Bir Ernest Shackleton has selected two acouts to go with him to the Quest Please convey to Patrol Leader More and Patrol Leader Meeney Ille Royal Highneed constatulations and felt them how lucky he thinks they are to have been chosen for such a trip."

SPEECHES ON FIRE PREVENTION.

Broute cooperated all over the country to the observance of fire prereation day, which in many cases was prolonged to a fire prevention week. In Ulies, N. Y., the scouts were used to riske short addresses to the echool children on the subject of fire preven-

ALL CITIES NEED BOY SCOUTS.

Judge Foster, of the United States district court, one of the founders of the New Orleans scout council, says no city can afford to be without its boy scouts. "I have never come in touch with a man who had scout training without finding bim efficient and proud that he had been a scout. If every boy could be taught scouling, we could be assured of a patriotic, virile citizenty that would be a lasting bulwark against all en-

WEST PARIS

Mrs. James Wight and Mrs. Ruby Smith have been ill during the past or supply, and with a local committee Asst. Supt.,

Max, the little son of Frank C. Pack-

Eva Newell, who has been working to have privilege of naming others to

eers chosen word:

Prisident-E. J. Mann

1st Vice-Pres. -C. L. Ridlon 2d Vice-Pres .- D. H. Fifield Secretary-H. A. Markley Treasurer-W. W. Gardner

Committees-George W. Devine, Fi-

Village Corporation to the men who re- of Norway, J. E. Dexter of Auburn, spended to the alarm.

Following adjourment the citizens dren. present gave attention to the question of securing better fire protection. Discussion continued for an hour, everybody taking part. Report was made as ing a Union Sunday School. There was to prices on heavy pipe for the water a good attendance both Sundays and main, and cost of hydrants, nozzles, etc. much interest is being shown. The fol-C. L. Ridlon said the insurance compan- lowing officers and teachers have been

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before returning to her school at No.

at H. R. Tuell's for the past eight work with them. weeks, has finished and will work for Mrs. Charles Curtis.

Paris Chamber of Commerce last Wed- Hall at 1.30 Saturday, Jan. 14. needby evening there was an excellent accomplishments of the two years, Off

ies are ready to send an engineer to chosen: study local geography, and possible wat-

work out plans and estimates for ac. Secretary, ceptance or rejection by the corporation. Treasurer, It was finally voted to name a committee from the floor to get such facts and estimates and to report to a later meet-Miss Beatrice Smith was a guest at ing of citizens or by appropriate articles E. J. Mana's and H. R. Tuell's two days in the corporation warrant. E. J. Manu, C. H. Bates, W. H. Emery, C. L. Ridlon and H. H. Wardwell were named, they

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Curtis Hill & Paris Telephone At the annual meeting of the West Company will be held at Centennial

Edwin J. Mann was at Bryant Pond. attendance. Twenty members were se- Monday, to attend a special meeting of cured at once for the new year, and the the town of Woodstock to lay out a membership dues are now \$1.00. Along road across the land of Frank Whitman with the reports of the secretary and to accommodate lumbering on land the treasurer the members indulged in owned by Lewis M. Mann & Son, also Roberts, and friends at Rumford oPint a backward look to review some of the Mr. Wilson of Woodstock. The road last week, was granted.

> Carroll A. Bacon of Gorham, N. H., was a recent visitor in town.

Jennie Bates was in Portland, recent-

death of Mrs. Elva Dexter at Cliftondale, Mass. Mrs. Dexter was the widow nance; R. A. Bacon, Membership; C. H. of Jesse G. Dexter, formerly proprietor eral weeks with his father at North Bates, New Industries; Lauri Immonen, of the Maple House here. Mr. and Mrs. Anson, returned to Eli Stearns', Friday. Markets and Transportation; E. R. Ber- Dexter began housekeeping here when ry and C. H. Martin, Village Improve- he was employed by the Grand Trunk R. R., after a period of years they re-It was, voted that the Chamber of turned and ran the Maple House until Commerce advance the money on behalf his death. The remains of Mrs. Dox- four weeks old, recently. of the village for the immediate pay ter will be taken to Harrison for interment of the bill of \$110 from the Nor- ment beside Mr. Dexter. She was a way Department-that sum being the native of Harrison. Three children suramount netually paid out by the Norway vive: Cora, wife of Reginald Diasmore dormitory this term. and Helen Dexter, also four grandchil. Dr. Tibbetts from his farm.

HANOVER

We began the Neaw Year by organiz-

Mrs. C. F. Saunders Superintendent, Mrs, A. T. Powers Miss Blanche Russell Miss Maude Russell

Miss Annie Hodgdon Teacher of Intermediate Class,

Miss Marion Dyer Teacher of Primary Class,

Miss Maude Russell Mrs. Lucy Folsom, who has been quite ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Viols Roberts, is very much better at this

Miss Maude Russell and F. J. Russell were guests of A. W. Bean and daugh.

tor at Middle Intervale, Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders attended Pomona Grange at Norway last Tues.

Miss Marion Twitchell of Portland was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Viola

Miss Marguerite Gainer, who has been in New Hampshire for the past few months, returned home Saturday.

Miss Nellie Harrington, teacher at the village, spent the week end with News has been received here of the her sister, Gertrude, at Elson Ham-

Billy Thompson, who has spent soy.

MIDDLE INTERVALE BOAD Ned Carter was at home over Sunday,

C. A. Capen lost a nice veal calf over Ned Carter and family dined at 0.

. Capen's, Sunday. Miss Ethel Capen is staying at the

Wallace Coolidge is hauling hay for



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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I.—With his two daughters, Alix and Cherry, the latter just eighteen years old, and his niece, Anne, Doctor Strickland, retired, is living at Mill Valley, a short distance from San Francisco. His closest friend is Peter Joyce, something of a recluse. Visiting in the vicinity, Martin Lloyd, mining engineer, falls in love with and secretly becomes engaged to Cherry.

CHAPTER II.—While the family is speculating as to Lloyd's intentions. Cherry brings him to supper, practically announcing her engagement to him.

CHAPTER III.—Doctor Strickland feels Cherry is too young to marry and urges her to wait at least a year, but the girl coaxes him into agreeing to an immediate wadding and the ceremony takes place, the couple leaving at once for El Nido, where Martin is employed.

CHAPTER IV.—The honeymoon days over, Cherry begins to feel a vague dis-satisfaction with Martin and the monot-ony of her daily life.

CHAPTER V.—At Mill Valleys Justin Little, lawyer, becomes engaged to Anne, the wedding being set for September, some months distant. Allx visits Cherry at El Nido and the two girls coax Martin into allowing Cherry to go home for Anne's wedding.

CHAPTER VI.—In her father's house Cherry contrasts the peaceful, happy life there with her rather sordid existence at El Nido and realizes that her marriage has been something of a failure. Doctor Strickland, feeling that Cherry is not being fair to Martin, in that she is unduly prolonging her visit after Anne's wedding, urges her to return to her husband, she makes preparations for her departure.

CHAPTER VII.—Peter Joyce tells Chery y he has had one "grand passion" in his ite, but the woman was not for him. He ces not reveal her name. Cherry rejoins

CHAPTER VIII.—The young wife's dis-satisfaction increases and there is an al-most open break. Martin has a brief spell of sickness and something of her old feel-ing for him returns to Cherry.

CHAPTER IX.—Doctor Strickland is stricken suddenly with what all perceive is a fatal illness, Alix summons Cherry to her father's deathbed. After the doctor's death it is discovered that years ngo he had borrowed money from Anne's father and seemingly the debt was never discharged. With accumulated interest the amount practically consumes all the money the doctor left. Justin Little makes it manifest that he will insist on his wife's claims. It means that he two girls are left with practically othing.

CHAPTER X.-Feter Joyce, who has been on a trip practically around any world, returns, not having learned of the doctor's death. He hears of Anne's position with regard to the money with deep disgust. Alix has the home and in making a fair living singing. Joyce urges her to marry him. The consents not they have a simple wedding and go to Joyce's have a simple wedding and go to Joyce's have a simple wedding and go to Joyce's home to live, ideally happy.

CHAPTER XI. — Martin and Cherry leave El Nido and go to Red Creek, a change somewhat for the better, but therry retains the old feeling of disaalisfaction. She visits Peter and Alix, and while there comes to a realization that she loves Peter. Though she has never known it, Cherry is the woman whom Peter had in mind when he told her of his "grand passion." He has never ceased to love her, and the situation now becomes tragic.

CHAPTER XII.—Peter confesses his love to Cherry, and she admits a like feeling for him. A situation bordering on hidden guilt is created. In the doctor's libbe Alix finds a receipt for the money he had borrowed. Anne's claim falls to the ground and Alix and Cherry are mancially independent. Heartbroken over their tragic position. Feter value socks a solution which shall make for the mutual happiness of Cherry and himself, but there seems no way. there scems no way.

"And I guess both you girls will have to come in in a day or two," Peter continued.

"Cherry's going in to the dentist tomorrow," said Alix. "Oh, so I am!" Cherry said in a rather strained voice.

She did not Lok at Peter, nor did ho at her, but they felt each other's thoughts like a spoken word.

"Had you forgotten?" Allx asked. about a week's work here to do." Peter left them, without one word

or look for Cherry, who went back to the house with her sister in a most i agitated and wretched state of mind. She had the telephone in her hand, to careel the engagement with her dentist, when Alix suddenly, consented to accompany her into town: "and at lunch time we'll take a chance on the St. Francis, Sis," Alix said, innocently. "for Peter almost always lunches

Feeling that the question was set-Wed, yet restless and unsattsfied still, Cherry dressed for town; they elimbed Into the car: Alix's firm hands, in Jellow chamols gloves, snatched at the wheel: the die was cast.

Yet at the station another change of plan occurred, for an Allx brought the far to the platform Anne came toward them from the arriving train, a gloved and demure and smiling Anne, auxlous, she explained, to talk over this nowest development, and 'Shether It proved to be of any value or not," to try to find out what Uncle Lee had really wanted for them all, and then agree to do that in a friendly manner, out of court.

"My first feeling, when Frenny told me," said Anne, chatting pleasantly in the shade, "was one of such relief! For I hadn't wanted all that money one bit," she confessed gally. "I only wanted to do what was falr. Only two or three nights ago I said to Frenny that it really belonged to us all, and last night we talked and lalked about it, and the result was was Alix's first remark, "Oh, say!" and the black head touched with gray, after all, and"—Aune's old half-merry she added, the burst. "Let's go down disappear in the direction of the

and half-pouting manner was unchanged-"what we decide is what really matters!" she finished.

"Why, there is no question that it's Daddy's handwriting," Cherry said, with what, for her, was sharpness, "and it seems to me-it seems to me, Anne-" she added, hesitatingly,

"That you have a nervel" Alix finished, not with any particular venom. "That document throws the case out of court," she said flatly. "Feter is confident of that!"

Anne's pale face flushed and her eyes narrowed. Cherry was flushed and uncomfort-

able. There was an awkward pause. "Board?" shouted a trainman, with a rising inflection. The sisters looked at each other in a pante of haste, "I can't leave this car here," Alix

exclaimed. "I've got to park her and lock her and everything! Run; get] on board, Cherry. I don't have to go in, anyway—you've got a date!" Cherry's heart leaped, sank 'coldly,

and leaped again, as with a swift nod of parting she hurrled for her train, The other two women watched her with forced interest as she climbed on board and as the train slipped noiselessly out of sight. It curved among the redwoods and was gone before either spoke again. Then, as her eyes met Anne's friendly, questioning smile, Allx said awkwardly:

"I think the only thing to do is for you and Justin to take this up with Peter, Anne, I mean-I mean that you were the ones who proposed to bring it into court in the first place, and-and I don't understand much about it. As far as coming to any agreement with me is concerned, you might just as well have gone back on the train with Cherry. I hate to talk up for me?" he asked. this way-but we all think you neted very-well, very meanly!" Allx finished rather flatly.

"Perhaps it's just as well to understand each other!" Anne said, with hot cheeks. They exchanged a few more sentences, wasted words and angry ones, and then Anne walked ! en as she moved her tragic and beaufor another train, and Alix, with her heart beating hard and her color high, drove at mad speed back to the mountain cabin.

"I didn't ask her to lunch-I don't care!" Alix said to herself, in agitation. "She and Justin know they're beaten—they're just trying to patch it up before it's too late-I don't care -I won't have her think she can get away with any such scheme-1"

CHAPTER XIII.

Meanwhile Cherry, in the sick flutter of spirits that had become familiar to her of late, kept her dentist nppointment, and at noon looked at a flushed and lovely vision in the dentist's mirror.

She went out into the blazing street: year. At two o'clock a wild wind would spring up and send papers and l dust flying, but just now the beat was dry and clear and still.

She was carrying a parasol and she opened it now and walked slowly toward Geary street. She could not even frame in her thoughts the atter blankness of the feeling that swept over her at missing an opportunity to see Peter. She turned and went slowly up past the tig shop windows that reflected the burning Plaza, and so came to the cool, great doorway of the St. Francis. Inside was tempered light and much noiseless coming and going, meeting and parting.

Cherry drifted into the big, deep carrieted walting room; there were other women there, sunk into the ble leather chairs, watching the doors and glaneing at the clock. When a man came hastily in the door, one woman rose, there was a significant smile, a murmured greeting, before the two vanished.

In a luxurious chair Cherry waited, Peter certainly would not come in until linifepast twelve, perhaps not then. Suddenly, with a spring of her heart against her ribs, she saw Peter's dark head with its touches of iron gray.

Grouped and brushed scrundlously as always, with the little limp, set es "I don't think I'll go in, for I have always dignified and erect, he came to stand before her, and she stood up. and their hands met. Finshed and a little confused, she followed him to an inconspleyons table in a corner of the dining room. Then the dreamlike unreality and beauty of their bears together began again.

"fiel you expect me to meet you? she emiled. For answer he leaked int her thoughtfully a minute before fils own face lighted with a bright smile.

"I don't think I thought of your not being there," he confessed. "I was shelfs moving all marning invard the instant of meeting." He watched her, olmost with anxiety, for a moment, then turned his attention to the bill of fart. But Cherry was not hungry. and ohe pold small attention to the union or to the food when it come.

Presently they were talking again, in that hunger for solf analysis that le a part of new love. They theilled at every word, Cherry raising her eyes, shiolog with eagemess, to his, or Peter watching the little down-dropped face in an agony of adoration. An hour passed, two hours, after awhite they were walking, still with that strange sense of oneness and of solltude, and still as easily as if they had been floating, to the ferry.

Allx met them in Mill Valley with vivid accounts of the day; she had been pendering the brief talk with Anne, and was anxious to have l'eter's view of it. Peter was of the spinlon that Anne's conduct indicated very clearly that she and Justin realised that their case was lost,

"Then you're fixed for life, Cherry,"

to live in!"

Cherry flushed, staring stendily at her sister, and Peter, too, was confused, but Allx saw nothing. The next day she carried her point, and took them with her down to the old house. Cherry was pale and fighting tears, as they crossed the porch, and fitted the key in the door. Inside the house the air was close and stale, odorous of dry pine walls and of unaired rooms. Peter flung up a window, the girls walked aimlessly about, through the familiar, yet shockingly strange, chairs and tables that were all conted thickly with dust.

"It needs everything!" Allx said, after a first quick tour of inspection, eyeing a greater weather streak on the raw pluster of the dining-room wall. "It needs air, cleaning, straightening, flowers - Cosh, how it does need people!"

"I-I can't bear it!" Cherry said softly, in a sick undertone,

Alix, who was rapidly recovering her equilibrium, sprang upstairs without hearing her, but Cherry did not follow. She went to the open front doorway and stood there, leaning against the sill, and gazing sadly out at the shabby, tangled garden that had sheltered all the safety and Joy and innocence of her little-girl days.

"Peter," she said, as he came to stand beside her, "I'm so unhappy!" "Cherry, will you end It?" he asked her, huskily. She gave him a startled look

"End it?" she faltered. "Will you-do you think you are brave enough to give everything else "Peter!" said Cherry, hardly above

a breath. "Will you go away with me?" Peter went on, feverishly. "That's the only way, now. That's the only way-now. Will you go away?"

"Go away!" Cherry's face was ash-

over to a seat in the shade, to wait; tiful eyes to his. "Go away where?" "Anywherel" Peter answered, confusedly, "Anywhere!" He dld not meet her look, his own went furtively about the garden. Immediately he seemed to regain self-control. talking like a fool!" he said, quickly, "I don't know what I'm saying half the time! I'm sorry-I'm sorry, Cherry. Don't mind me. Say that you'll

forgive me for what I said!" He had taken her hands, and they were looking distressedly and soherly at each other when an unexpected noise made them step quickly apart. Cherry's heart beat madly with terror, and Peter flushed deeply.

It was Martin Lloyd's aunt, Mrs. North, their old neighbor, who came about the corner of the house, and approached them smilingly. How much had she seen? Cherry asked herself, panic. what were they doing -what were they saying as she appeared?-how much had their attitude betrayed them?

Mrs. North was the same loadlaughing, cheerful woman as of old, She kissed Cherry, and was full of queries for Martin. "Durango? Belle told me sorde-

thing about his going there," she said. "How long you been here, Cherry?" "I've been with Alix and Peter" for -for several weeks," Cherry said, unenally. Her eyes met Peter's and he conveyed reassurance to her with a

"When you going back, dear?" Mrs. North asked, with so shrewd a glance from Cherry's exquisite rosy face to Peter's that he felt a fresh pany of susplcion. She had seen something-"Why, I've been rather—rather kept here by the-the law-sult, haven't I,



"Here's Allx," She Bald Gladly as Allx Came Downstairs.

Peterf' Cherry explained. "But I expect to go soon as it is all settled! Here's Alix," she said, gladly, as Alix camo downstales.

"I'll her you three are having real good times!" Mrs. North said, with a curious look from one to the other. "You know what I hope," Allx told her, "Is that Cherry and Martin will always keep the old place open now. I don't believe Cherry'll ever love another place as also does the valleywill you, Six?' Alix ended, eagerly,

around her, half-way, and gave her a troubled smile. And yet a few moments later, when some quest took Peter suddenly from the group, she watched the shabby cordurer suit, the laced high books, and the black head touched with gray,

Cherry met the arm her slater linked

to the old house tomorrow, will you? | kitchen with a tearing pala at her and belonging to each other?" Let's see what it needs, and how much | heart. Her father had asked her to would have to be done to make it fit wait; wait until she was nineteen! Nineteen and seemed old then. She had felt at nineteen she would have merely delayed the great joy of life ! for nothing; at nineteen she would be only so much older, so much more

desperately bent upon this marriage. And Peter was there then, was coming and going, advising and tensing her -so near, so accessible, loving her even then, had she but known It! That engagement might as easilyand how much more wisely !-have been with Peter; the presents, the gowns, the wedding would have been the same, to her childish egotism; the rest how different! The rest would have been light instead of darkness, joy instead of pain, dignity and development and increasing content instead of all the months of restless criticism and doubt and disillusionment. The very scene here, with Mrs. North and Allx, might easily have been, with Cherry as the wife of Peter, Cherry as her sister's hostess, in the mountain cabin-

At the thought her heart suffocated her. She stood dazedly looking out of the old kitchen window, and her senses swam in a sudden spasm of

CHAPTER XIV.

"You and I must go away!" said Peter. "I can't stand it. I love you. I love you so dearly, Cherry. I can't think of anything else any more. It's like a fever-it's like a sickness. I'm never happy, any more, unless my arms are about you. Will you let me

take you somewhere, where we can be happy together?" Cherry turned her confident, childish face toward him; her lashes gift-

*tered, but she smlled. "I love you, Peter!" she said. And the words, sounding softly through the sliehre of the garden, died away on

the warm night air like music. In the two weeks since the day at the old house they had not chanced to be often alone, and tonight, for the first time, Cherry admitted that she could fight no longer. They talked as lovers, his arm about the soft little clinging figure, her small, firm fingers tight in his own. He had squared about on the grent log that was their sent so that his ardent eyes were closer to her; the world held nothing but themselves. It was eight o'clock,

"So this is the thing that was walting for us all these years, Cherry, ever since the time you and Allx used to dam my brook and climb my oak trees!"

"I never dreamed of If!" Cherry sald, with wonder in her tone. "If we had dreamed of it-" Peter

began, and stopped. "Ah, if we had, it would all be different," Cherry sald, with a look of bear to think of! I cannot go back to fry." Martin. I can't leave you-I ean't leave You !!

"Shall we go away?" Peter asked, simply.

"Go where?" she asked.

"Go nnywhere!" he answered, "We have money enough: we can leave Allx rich-she will still have her cabin and her dogs and the life and loves, But there are other tiny places, Cherry; there are little cabins in Hawall, there are Canadian villages-Cherry. there are thousands of places in the south of France where we might live for years and never be questlened, and never be annoyed."

"France!" she whispered, and the downcast face he was watching so eagerly was thoughtful. "How could we go," she breathed. "You first, and then It To meet comewhere?" "We would have to go together,"

he decided swiftly. "Every one must know, dear; you realize that?" Wide-eyed she was staring at him as if spell-bound by some new hope:

now she shrugged her shoulders in careless disdain. "That is'nt of any consequence!" "Ton don't feel it so!" He sat down beside her, and again they locked

Lands.

"Not that part," she apsygred, sim-ly. "I miad-Alix," she added, thoughtfully.

"Yes, I mind Allx!" he admitted. "But the injury is done to Allx now." Cherry said, slowly. "New it is too late to go back! You and I couldn't -we couldn't deceive Alix here. Peter." Cherry added, and as she turned to him he saw her thin white blouse move | fiesat" suddenly with the quiek rising of ker heart. "That-that would be too herrible! But I could take this love of ours away, leave everything else behind, simply-simply recognize," stammered Cherry, her lips beginning to tremble, "that it is blager then oursolves, that we can't belo it. Peter. I'd fight it if I could," she added, niteously. "I'd go away if I didn't know that no power on earth could keep me from coming back!"

She buried her head on his shoulder, and he put his arm about her, and there was utter allence over the great brooding mountain, and in the valley brimming with nost esconshine, and in the garden.

"I believe that even Alix will underaland," Peter said after awhile, "She loves you and me better than any one else in the world; she is not only evcrything that is generous, but she isn't selfish, she is the busical and the most sensible person I ever knew. I know -of course I know it's rotten." he broke off in sudden despair, "but what I'm trying to say is that Alix, of all peopla I know, is the one that will make the least fuss about it-"

Cherry was staring rapily before her; now she grasped his hand and said breathlessly:

"Oh, Peter, are we talking about lift Are we julking about our going away,

"What else?" he said, quick tears in his eyes.

"Oh, but I've been so unhappy, I've been so starved!" she whispered. "I thought I wanted people-cities-I thought I wanted to go on the stage. But it was only you I wanted, Oh, Peter, what a life it will be! The lit tlest cottage, the simplest life, and perhaps a beach or woods to walk in and always talking, reading, always together. Isn't there some way we

can get away, disappear us if we had never been?" "Cherry!" he said, kneeling before her in the wet grass, "You know what

It means I" "It means you!" she answered, after a silence. She had laid her hands

Her Shining Eyes Were Close,

softly about his neck, and her shining eyes were close to bis. "It's so beautiful-it's so wonderful -to love this way," she said, in her innocent, little-girl rolce, "that It seems to me the only thing in the world! I'd come to you, Peter, if it meant shame and death and horror. It doesn't mean that, it only means a man and a woman settling down somewhere in the south of France, a

blg quiet man who limps a little, and a little yellow-headed woman in blue smocks and slily-looking hats-"It means life, of course!" he interrupted her, "The hour that makes you mine, Cherry, will be the exqui-

site hour of my whole life!" They were allent for a while, and below them the white moonlight deepened and brightened and awam like an enchantment.

"Oh, I know that!" "There can't ever be-there mustn't be-you've thought of that?" he said, uncertainly. In the curious, unreal light that flooded the world, he saw her turn, and caught the gleam of her

surprised eyes. "You mean children-n child?" she sald, surprisedly. "Why not, Peter?" she added, tightening her fingers, "what could be more wonderful than that we should have a child? Can you imagine a happier environment for a child than that little sunshiny, woodsy beach cottage: can't von coe the little figure-the two or three little figures!—scampering ahead of us through the country roads, or around the are? Oh, I can," said Cherry, her extraordinary voice rich and sweet with longing, "I can! That would be motherhood, Peter, that wouldn't be like having a baby whose father one didn't-one couldn't love, marriage or no marriage!"

And as he watched, amozed at the change that love had brought to quiet, little inarticulate Cherry, she added,

"Alix will forgive us; you'll see sho will! Alix-I know her!-will only be sorry for me. She'll only think me mad to disgrace the good name of Strickland; she'll think we're both crary. Perhaps sho'll plunge into the orphanage work, or perhaps she'll go on here, gardening, playing with Buck, rataing durks-she says herself that the hos never known what love means -says it really meaning it, yet us it the whole subject was a like-a wrak-

"I believe she will forgive us, for she is the most generous weamn in the world," Peter sald, shouly, "Any. way-no can't stop bow! We can't step new! There is the steamer live that goes to Los Angeles," he mused "Yes-I believe that to the solution." he added, with a brightening face, "No body you know goes there on it; it leaves dally at cleven, and gots into Los Angeles the following morning. From there we can get a drawing. room to Now Orleans; that's only a day and a half more; and we can keep to ourselves if by any unlucky chance there should be any one we know on the train-"

"Which Isn't likely!" "Which isn't likely! Then at New Orleans we go either to the Zone, or to South America, or to any one of the thousand places-New York, it we like, by water. By that time we will be lost as completely as if we had

reservations-the thing is, you're too pretty to go quite unnoticed i" he added ranfally, He saw a smile flicker on her face In the moonlight, but when she spoke, It was with almost tearful gravity: "You arrange it, Peter, and some how I'll go, I'll write Altx-I'll tell

her that where she's saue, I'm mad,

and where she's strong, I'm weak!

dropped into the sen. I'll see about

And we'll weather It, dear, and we'll find ourselves somewhere, alone, with all the golden, beautiful future before ue. But. Peter, until this part of it's over we mustn't be alone again-you mustn't kiss me again! Will you promise me?"

As stirred as she was, he gathered her little fingers together, and kissed

them. "I'll promise anything! Only trust me for a few days more, and we will be away from It all. And now you put it all out of your mind, and run in and go to bed. You're exhausted, and if Alix gets the eight o'clock train she will be here in a few minutes."

"Good night!" she breathed, and he saw the white gown flicker against the soft light on the lawn, and saw the black shadow creeping by it, before she mounted the porch steps, and was gone.

CHAPTER XV.

Swept along by a passionate excitement that seemed actually to consume her, Cherry lived through the next three days. Allx noticed her mood, and asked her more than once what caused it. Cherry would press'n hot cheek to hers, smile with eyes full of pain, and flutter away. She was well, she was quite all right, only she-she was afraid Martin would summon her soon-and she didn't want to go to hlm-1

Suspecting something gravely amiss, Allx tried to win her confidence regarding Martin. But briefly, quickly, and with a sort of affectionate and apologetic impatience, Cherry refused to discuss him.

"I shall not go back to him!" she said, breathing hard, and with the air of being more absorbed in what she was doing than what she was saying. "But do you mean that you are really going to leave him?" the older sister questioned,

"I don't know what I'm going to do!" Cherry haif sobbed.

"But, degrest-degrest, you're only twenty-four; don't you think you might feel better about it as time goes on?" Allx urged. "Now that the money is all yours, Cherry, and you can have this nice home to come to now and then, Isn't it different?" Cherry was looking at her steadly.

"You don't understand, Sis!" she "I understand that you don't love Martin," Alix said, perplexed, "But can't people who don't love each other

live together in peace?' she added, with a half smile. "N-n-ot as man and wife!" Cherry stammered.

graceful fashion of her girlhood, and, shrugged her shoulders, "Think of the people who are worrylog themselves sick over bills, or sick wives, or children to bring up!" she suggested hopefully. "My Lord, it

Alix sat back on her heels, in the un-

you have enough money, and food, and are young, and well-!" "Yes, but, Allx," Cherry argued engerly, "I'm not well when I'm unhappy. My heart is like lead all the time: I can't seem to breathet Penple-len't it assible that people are

different about that?" she asked timidiy. "I suppose they are!" Alix conceded thoughtfully. "Anyway, look at all the fusses in history," she added carelessly, "of grande passions, and murders, and elopements, and the fate of nations-resting on just the fact that n man and woman bated each other too much, or loved each other too much! There must be something in it all that I don't understand. But what I do understand," she added, atter a moment, when Cherry, choked with emotion, was silent, "is that Dad would die of grief if he knew you were unhappy, that your life was all broken up in disappointment and bitterness!"

"But is that my fault?" Cherry exclaimed, with sudden tears. Allx, after watching her for a troubled minute, went to her and put her arm about her. "Don't ery, Cherry!"

she pleaded corrowfally. Cherry, regaining self-control, resumed her work silently, with an occastenal, sudden eigh. She had ovened the subject with reluctance; now she realized that they had again reachest a blank stall.

Three days after their talk to the movally garden befor found chance to speak alone to Cherry.

"Are you ready?" he asked. "Quite!" she sold, raining blue eyes to his.

"It's tomorrow, then, Cherry?" he

said. "Tumorrow!" He saw the color chb from her face as she echoed him. This was already late afternoon; perhaps her thoughts raced abrad to tomorrow ofterness at this time when they two would be trailed on the rall of the little steamer, gozing out over the smooth, boundless blue of the Pacific. and alone in the world.

"Tomorrow you will be mine!" be dien.

"That's all I think of," she answered. And now the color came up in a splendid wave of flame, and the face that also formed toward his was radiant with proud surrender. He told her the number of the dock:

they discussed trains. "We sail at cloven," said Peter, "but

shall be there shortly after ten. I'll lave the baggage on board, everything ready; you only have to erosa the

check; give it to me." They were walting in the car while Allx marketed. Cherry opened her purse and gave him the pusched catdboard

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"If you're right, what the other fol-less thinks desert's malites," mays an exchange. Tell that to the metorial who has run foul of the traffic con-motion Transcript.

RUMFORD

Mrs. Minns Ballides received the sad news on Saturday last from her former home in Greece of the death of her mother, aister and brother-in-law, all of whom were massacred by the Turks. The Osgood Eaton Relief Corps will hold their annual public installation of officers on January 16th.

Mrs. Harold Walker is ill at her home with pneumonia.

The newly elected officers of St. Mar-ling sleep, slow fever. garet's Guild are: President, Mrs. Geo. Maynard; 2nd vice president, Mrs. Ar-thur Welch; secretary, Mrs. William Sinclair; treasurer, Mrs. Wolter Morse. Regular meetings of the fivild are to Family Laxative and Worm Expeller, be held throughout the winter months that helped her. at the homes of the various members.

The officers of the Universalist Parish | 60c-\$1,20. for the coming year are: Moderator, W. A. Clough; clerk, E. H. Brown; trensurer, C. L. Brown; collector, E. W. Howe: chalyman of the music committee, Lewis M. Irish.

The many friends of Thatcher L. of his ability.

The following men at Rumford High Behool were awarded letters in baseball nault, Milledge, Paquin, Douglas, Ken- for the best costumes. Trask, Jonkins, Ferland, Hoyt, Cornell, Vallant, Whooley, Dolloff, Manager Dennis, Coach Hall.

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test as set mone of them are ill.

from Variania on Christmas Day and mon of the town and the committee on want the helitoge with his parents, the replacement of a new bridge to

partment of the school,

The "Stephen's Tribute" (the High time arrives, the matter of construc-School paper) beard has been elected tion would be taken up. by the Junier class of the school: Edi-tor in Chief, Denoran Jenkins; Associ-sts Editors, Alex Kawalsyk, Illicabeth this week for Southern Pines, N. C., Pernaid, Barn Strope; Local Editor, where they will spend the remainder of Hester Ingress; Alexant Editor, Josiah the Winter.

Hall, Athletic Editor, Hester Bouffard; The death of Robert Langlois, nine Brindern, Albert Cermier; Ranhanger, year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Omer

IF MOTHERS ONLY KNEW

Thousands of Children Suffer From Worms and Their Mothers Do Not Know What the Trouble Is

derunged stomach, swollen upper lip, ents, and family of Virgin street. offensive breath, hard and full stomach. Mrs. N. E. Downs and sister. M with pains, pale face, eyes heavy, short dry cough, grinding of the teeth, little red points on the tongue, starting dur. in Waltham and Lowell, Mass.

Mrs. H. N. Roberts, 502 Asylum St., Brown; 1st vice president, Mrs. C. T. Flint, Mich., wrote to Dr. J. F. True they are to earn three dollars. This

A favorite for over 70 years, 40c-

Everett Martin; Artist, Leo Carey; Business Managers, John Perrault, not seek this office but if elected, will thus make it a cherished memento of on Prospect avenue, necept, and serve the town to the best things accomplished by all the de- Mr. and Mrs. Charter of the control of the best than the charter of the control of the charter of the ch partments during the past year,

and football by Principal Carter last ball on Tuesday evening, Feb. 14, at in Brooklyn. week: Baseball, Alumni, Manager Arso. Municipal Hall. Prizes will be offered

Kilgorel, Watson. Football, Capt. Car. the Baby Clinic of the Rumford Red having been sent from the Continentliste, Kowalzyk, Karparick, Stewart, Cross expects that this branch of the all Paper and Bag mill nere to the one liste, Kowalzyk, Karparick, Stewart, will be appared to the public or in Brooklyn. He has sold his house on Francilis, Forni, Clark, Lavorgna, work will be opened to the public on Prospect around to Mr. Andy O'Don-Trask, Jonkins, Ferland, Hoyt, Cornell, Saturday, Jan. 14. There is to be no pall charge, and all mothers are cordially nell. invited. The babies will be weighed! Hon. Waldo Pettengill, who with his a member. Phil Marx, Bruce Ruff, E. should be done. The advice of a rell, ed, and hopes to return to his home in

works successively in the Oxford Coun. Beliveau volunteered his services as Judge Stevenson last week for the vio. the Believue-Stratford, while Mr. Petlation of the Child Labor Law in the tengill is in the hospital. Wilfred Mooney, class of 1924 of case of Ida Pinette, who was working Rumford High School, has installed a in the mill. The case was heard before

ceased; pelition for order to distribute nual dues from 50 cents to \$1.00, and balance remaining in his hands present anyone who has attended the school announced their intention of running bur asked sympathetically: "Mister, is not the office of High Sheriff of Oxford or one year is eligible to membership. Alvin E. Chapman late of Ectbel, de-cassed: first account presented for al-lewance by Elizabeth H. Trinir, admin-istratrix.

At the Baptist church the Sunday County: Deputies Harry O. Stimson of Behool raised \$36 at their White Gift Norway, John A. Babb of Dixfield, Christmas tree. This money will be ex-Deputy Woodside of Fryeburg, and Ex-

Dr. Carl F. Davis, Rumford's milk inspector, reports that there is a lower Park, executor.

Alton L. Pernald of Albany, adult
ward; first account presented for alled president of the Young Men's Bible
lawance by Nellie A. Flint, spardian.

Class of the Baptist church.

Impertor, reports that the late is a lovery
percentage of tuberculosis in our dairy
herds than in former years. The herds
of C. D. Austin and Harry Kinnear Cassic Cohen has gone to Boston, were recently tested, found free from Where he will enter Boston University. disease, and sanitary conditions around Frank Smith has gone to Hudson their dairies and milk rooms very sat Palls, N. Y., where he will enter the em. infactory. The producers and retailers ploy of the Union Bag and Paper Com. of milk in our community are using

The following students have been re-The first annual dance of the Hum. ceived into the Paine Science Club of ford Shrine Club will be held at Mu. Rumford High School recently: Ar-Gth, Keith Foster '23, honor students in Physics; Fred Clark '22, Orville Wade and the class in physics; Fred Clark '22, Orville Wade '23, Alex Kowalzyk '23, Margaret Meand the oldest inhabitant of Rumford, Kenzie '23, Lee Corley '23, Michale The sobscriber bereby gives notice is the holder of the Boston Post cane that be has been duly appointed adgiven to the oldest man in the community and the control of the estate of Ellen P. Soundly.

Kimball late of Bothel in the County of Oxford, decreased, and given bonds as the law directs All prisons baving decreased. The control of the marriages of last week the law directs All prisons baving decreased as the law directs and prisons baving decreased. The country is the category of the manda against the rates of and the marriages of last week the law directs All prisons baving decreased. One of the marriages of last week keth Foster '23, Denovan Jenkins '23, was that of Mr. James A. Drysdale of Rumford and Miss Ceil H. Mitchell. Mooney '23, Thomas Torner '24, honor

the ceremony.

The Chapel Committee for this month at the school is composed of Mary J. Hamilton, Leonara Ellis '22, Frederick was baried som after death. There are several other children in the family, Vivian Darlon '23.

The only hot water best at moderate. Livet, James E. Hyer arrived home. At a recent meeting of the select

The death of Mere Coulty accurred to replace the present foot bridge. The list week at the Metarty Respital original petition, as sent to the Con-lies ago was 63 years, and he had been missioners, did not specifically state in Romford for about a year. He leaves the location, simply requesting the loa brother. The burial took place in cation of town read between the Maine Central bridge and the Morse bridge. Miss Mary J. Hamilton will conduct The petition was dismissed by the Com And most anything else you might ford High Rehool, formerly taught by requesting, at this time, any amount need. Call and talk it over.

Miss Julia Murphy, who recently recompany what is wanted first is the losigned as head of the Commercial DeCounty—what is wanted first is the loation, and then when the opportune

Langlois of Upper Franklin street took place last week following an illness

of diphtheria, Mrs. Adam Cark is suffering from blood poisoning of the hand.

Allie Gumm of Lowell, Mass., is the Signs of Worms are: Constinution, guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Clem-Mrs. N. E. Downs and sister, Miss Ruth MacOregor, are visiting relatives

> The Bokosis Camp Fire Girls have each been given a dollar, with which

Wednesday evening, Jan. 18, the proad ceeds of the affair to be given to the Rumford Public Library with which to purchase new books. Refreshments will also be on sale at this time.

Platcher Shen, Dorothy Dunn. The er resident of Rumford, is here work-Tom French of Woolwish and a formmoney carned by the class through the ing in the Continental Paper and Bag Goddard of Rumford Center wish to an publishing of the paper, will go toward mill. He expects to take up his resihounce that he will be a candidate for the trip to Washington which the class dence here in the spring if he can find third selectman from the upper end of plans to take next year. The Juniors a rent in order that he may move his the town at the namual town meeting in are planning to make the paper a ree family here. He is now rooming at the March. It is understood that he does ord of the school year 1921-1929, and home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Mosher field were guests of her parents, Mr.

> Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dykes left this week for Brooklyn, N. Y., where they The Rumford Red Cross will hold a expect to reside, Mr. Dykes having been Valentine Masquerade and fancy dre: transferred from Rumford to the mill

Mr. Leslie Baker and family have Mr. Frederick Pullman, chairman of moved to Brooklyn, N. Y., Mr. Baker

and information pertaining to their wife and Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Greene, is American Legion is soon to conduct a health will be furnished free. The Red now in Philadelphia, where he has had at James Gibbs'. membership drive with the idea in Cross does not furnish any medicines a serious surgical operation performed, year of our Lord one thousand nine hun- view of getting every ex-service man as or food, but simply recommends what is gaining as well as could be expectdred and twenty-one. The following a member. Phil Marx Brues Book is should be done. The advice of a rall, and hopes to return to his home. this town within a week or two, anyway elected as the executive committee of A fine of \$25 and costs was imposed by the last of this month. Mrs. Petten-That notice thereof he given to all the Legion at a recent meeting, Chester on General Superintendent Hawley of gill with Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Greene persons interested, by causing a copy Hardy as Sgt. at Arms, and Albert the Continental Paper and Bag Mill by and little son, John, are stopping at of this order to be published three Patients. Judge Stavenson last week for the Bellevic-Stratford, while Mr. Pat-

Seemed Only Explanation. at said Paris, or the third Tuesday of function light School, has installed a County Attorney Shaw, Labor Commis. Wilbur had seen the various ped-January, A. D. 1922, at 0 of the clock small wireless set at his home in the County Attorney Shaw, Labor Commis-in the foreneon, and be heard thereon Virginia District, and is soon to demon-sloner Roscoe E. Eddy, and Deputy horzes and wagons pulling their wares. strate the use of the wireless to the Charles Beals. Attorney McCarthy ap So when the selssors grinder appeared peared for Mr. Hawley. Albert Pinetje one day carrying the bulky machine The Rumford High School Alumni the father of the girl was fined the sum on his back there seemed to be but one explanation possible to the lad.

LOCKE'S MILLS

Mrs. King Bartlett entertained her brother, Oliver Poss, and wife of Norway last week,

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tebbets and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Tebbets attended a banquet at Bothel, Thursday eve-

Arthur Stowell was in Lewiston, Sun-

Guy Swan is home from Massachu etts.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Barrows of So. Paris visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tebbets. Mrs, Arthur Stowell visited relatives

it Bryant Pond, Sunday. Mrs. Mary Bartlett has had another evere ill turn,

NORTH WATERFORD

George Hobson, Fred McAllister and few others have their ice harvested. Mrs. Ella Charles is better, and attended the installation of Rebekahs, Saturday night.

There was a good attendance at the spasm'' Saturday night. Ice cream

Mrs. Nora Grover and Millard Littleand Mrs. H. A. Allon.

Mrs. Francis Grover and daughter. Annie, were guests of Mrs. Nora Abbott and son, Ernest Grover, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Knight drove to Portland, Sunday afternoon with his

Saturday night the Rebekahs had their installation of officers.

Edith Littlehale has returned to her chool work in Fnirfield, Mr. King Small is at work for H.

NORTH PARIS

D. McAllister in the mill and boards A. D. Littehale and son are sawing

wood for Henry McKeene. Harry Chapman has returned from St. John, N. B.

Mr. E. Russell is at work for F. A. Littlehale. Colds are quite prevalent in this

leighborhood. Mrs. Pearl Parker has returned from Portland, where she has been for treat-

Hogarth's "Marriage a la Mode," "Marriage a la Mode," a series of six paintings by William Hogarth (1697-1764), were acquired in 1824 by the National Gallery in London. The paintings depict, with rare satire, a if these accessories he ranged in order, variety of occurrences in the high life | the wireless messengers will carry of the time. They are generally con- the sound of a voice speaking thousidered to be the artist's masterpiece. sands of miles away.—Brooklyn Eagle.

The Story of Our States

By JONATHAN BRACE VII.—MARYLAND



I rows played an important part in the founding of Maryland, Lord Balti-

more had been interested in the London company which was financially responsible for the settlement of Virginia. He became so enthusinstic over the possibilities in the new colonies that he desired to found a colony himself. After exploring the country just north of the Potomac he persuaded King Charles I to grant him this territory. In honor of the queen, Henrietta Maria, this new

colony was called Maryland. The payment for this grant was specified as two Indian arrows a year, together with a fifth part of all precious metals which might be mined. As the colony produced no gold or silver the cost of Maryland amounted to only the two arrows each year, and Lord Baltimore became to all intents and purposes an independent sovereign. As a matter of fact the charter was not issued until just after the death of Lord Baltimore but as the deed was hereditary it descended to the second Lord Baltimore, under whom the first settlement was made at St. Mary's in 1634. This hereditary monarchy continued in force until, under the sixth Lord Baltimore, the Declaration of Independence in 1776 brought it to

In 1788 Maryland adopted the Constitution and took its place as the seventh state in the Union. Its area totals 12,327 square miles, and it is thickly populated, so that Maryland is entitled to eight presidential

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Simple Wireless Messages.

The waves of wireless stations are unceasingly passing through our houses and our bodles and we neither see, hear nor feel them. Yet if there be interposed a few strands of wire, a metal plate and a tiny glowlamp and

FRANK F. WOODSIDE FOR

SHERIFF.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce that I again shall be a candidate for the office of Sheriff for the County at the coming primary election and solicit the support of the Republican electors at said primary. I feel that, if successful, I can discharge the duties of that important office in a manner that will meet all the requirements thereof, and in an honest and efficient manner.

Signed: FRANK F. WOODSIDE,

Fryeburg, Maine.

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